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SIKESTON HEARS FIRST AIRPLANE TRIAL WEDNESDAY MORNING, CASE IS DISMISSED

"After all your evidence, Mr. Attorney," quoth the judge at Sikeston's first airplane trial, "you have not placed Mr. McMullin, the defendant, in the plane. Case dismissed."

So ended the trial in Judge Myers' court Wednesday morning in which the city's ordinance prohibiting flying at a height less than 1000 feet made its debut..

The case developed out of a John Doe warrant issued Thursday evening on information supplied by Pat Noonan. Dozens of city dwellers, however, had stood open mouthed gaping at the daring or foolhardy pilot, who dodged and swooped with reckless abandon for safety of common sense at house tops and chimneys. Leonard McMullin happened to fly in about six o'clock and his arrest followed immediately.

Testimony at the trial established the identity of the plane rather conclusively as one owned by the Carr Brothers of Charleston. Leo Carr testified that McMullin drove the ship to Charleston Thursday evening, landing there about five o'clock. The number, said Carr, is C9039. The ship was further described as having a red fuselage and orange or yellow wings. In answer to a question, Carr stated that a narrow strip decorated the lower part of the fuselage.

The stripe incidently played a part in the testimony in that Lyle Malone, one of Sikeston's ex-flyers, positively saw a stripe fully "six inches wide", when the flyer swooped down over the golf links.

Art Sensenbaugh stated that the number of the plane under consideration was C9039. He was not sure about the stripe.

Carr stated that McMullin came over alone, left the ship and later returned home alone. "It was on the ground the entire time except for about ten minutes when I took a hop", said Mr. Carr.

Other witnesses were positive that the ship over Sikeston carried two passengers, one wearing a white helmet. McMullin sports an old delapitated brown and weather worn helmet, which was displayed for the benefit of judge and attorney Roger Bailey.

In the main, then, as the judge said, the ship was rather conclusively identified, but "Mr. McMullin had not been placed in the ship while it cavorted over Sikeston tree tops last Thursday."

In an informal discussion after the hearing, Bailey and Chief Kendall explained that they had visited Charleston, and that McMullin stood convicted "over there". Sikeston pilots and flyers generally, who know McMullin, are positive that he would not risk his government pilot license for the questionable sport of skimming tree tops.

Kansas City has forty-four scheduled airplanes carrying passngers, mail and express, arriving and departing daily. This record is said to be unparalleled by any other city.

Slim Pickens, one of our noted amateur actors, has been engaged to play the heavy part in the next show at Wild Onion. Slim is too light in weight to play heavy parts, but he is going to remedy that defect by stuffing his clothes with pillows and filling his pockets with scrap iron.—Commercial Appeal.

THREE MEN KILLED IN BOAT EXPLOSION

Cairo, Ill., September 8.—Three men are dead and three suffering from burns and other injuries as the result of an explosion of an oil flat boat tied up to the government dredge boat Tabor on the Ohio river near here yesterday.

The dead are Jesses D. Hart, 38, of Memphis, Tenn., first engineer of the Tabor who was burned by the blast, Captain David Q. Dogan, 49, of Memphis, Tenn., and William I. Smith, of Mound City, Ill., third engineer, who died in a hospital today.

The injured are James Hall, 25, Memphis, a stoker, seriously burned about the face and body; Grandville Metcalf, 40, of Grand Chain, Ill., an inspector's helper, burned about the body, and Charles E. Alley, 35, of Goconda, Ill., an oiler, who received broken ribs and bruises.

The oil boat was destroyed by fire and the Tabor was damaged to the extent of several hundred dollars.

The cause of the explosion has not been determined but members of the crew expressed the opinion that gas may have formed in the oil tanks and may have been ignited by a spark from a workman's hammer.

BLUFF GRIDSTERS HAVE FIRST SCRIMMAGE TUESDAY

Poplar Bluff, September 9.—Coach Emery T. Peters planned to put his Poplar Bluff High School football squad through its first scrimmage of the season at Booster Park this afternoon.

Quite a number of fans and students were on hand to try and get a line on the individual players. Scrimmage will be in order practically every day until the opening game with East Prairie High School on September 26.

Coach Peters has three full teams to pit against each other.

STEELE RESIDENT KILLED BY TRAIN

Hayti, Sptember 9.—The mangled body of a man struck about noon yesterday by a northbound Frisco train near Steele today was identified as that of John Gray Perry, 79, of Hayti.

The body was brought here in an unrecognizable condition, but a letter in the clothing indicated the victim was John Whitaker of near Hayti. Whitaker was found to be alive, however, and identified the man as his uncle, who had been visiting in Blytheville, Ark., and who was walking home.

Noise of a nearby gin prevented his hearing the train.

Not that it makes any particular difference, but in this age of unusual situations we have a judge from the obsolete "Horse Age" trying an airplane case.

One of the greatest aids the Federal and State Governments can give to the unemployed and the drouth-stricken people is to jail profiteers in food stuff for both humans and animals. All claim a surplus of grains exists but still the price fails to react. The same can be said of meats. Something ought to be done about this.

Bids called for by U. S. engineering corps at Rock Island, Ill., to rebuild levee of Marion County Levee District.—Palmyra Spectator.

MONETTE TO PLAY RETURN GAME SUNDAY

Monette, Arkansas, backed by their right-handed pitching ace Porter, will play a return game with Sikeston on Fairgrounds Park diamond next Sunday. The locals invaded the Arkansas baseball stronghold last week and returned with another scalp, winning 8-7 when Buddy Schuh nipped a hit and run rally in the last half of the ninth inning.

Monette has twice trimmed the Osceola Indians, but lost their third attempt when Steve Ralph used Slim Love as moundsman. Monette is known in the Arkansas baseball world as a strong contender for the Tri-State semi-pro championship this season.

Malone stated that "Sikeston was just lucky" in taking the game last Sunday. Two fluke plays by Sikeston players allowed four very expensive runs, and only the timely hitting of Hudson brought the locals out of the slump into the lead.

Burrus has not decided whether or not he will be able to pitch next Sunday's game. He had perfect control only one inning last week, he stated. After that he "lobbed them across" and trusted to luck. The big fellow's wing is being treated this week.

Smetzer, Dudley, Schuh, Hudson, Gore, Swaim , Kindred, Limbaugh and Crain are sure to see action next week. Burrus, if he is unable to fill the mound position, will probably be tucked away in right field to strengthen the local batting power. Malone is attempting to secure Burkett to pitch the game.

NO DROUGHT IN UPPER ILLINOIS SAYS TRAVELER

According to Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Buchanan, Sikeston tourist camp proprietors, who returned last Thursday from a four-day trip to Chicago, the State of Illinois from Pana into Chicago has not suffered materially from the drought.

The Sikestonians visited W. R. Buchanan and family during their brief visit.

Beginning at or near Pana, said Mr. Buchanan, crops look fairly good, and around Decatur, one cannot tell that the drought has damaged crops at all. Of course the farmers there do not fail to mention "drought damage". Even at that they have thousands of acres of corn which will make from fifty to seventy-five bushels per acre, added Mr. Buchanan. Cowpeas, soybeans and pasture lands are in excellent shape, and cattle are everywhere to be noticed.

WILL GATHER MATERIAL FOR RUMMAGE SALE MONDAY

A committee composed of Mrs. Chris Frances, Mrs. M. M. Beck, Mrs. C. E. Brenton and Mrs. Gid Daniels representing the Sikeston Woman's Club is delegated to gather material next Monday, September 15, for the proposed rummage sale, scheduled for next Friday at the Green Store room.

Rummage sales have proved successful in a number of cases as means of raising funds for the Woman's Club treasury and Library fund. Usually there is a large variety of useful articles on sale at very reasonable prices. Townspeople are asked to notify any member of the committee mentioned if they have garments, shoes or similar articles to donate.

CIVIL SERVICE BARS ITS EMPLOYES FROM POLITICS

Washington, September 9.—Following its practice of complete disassociation from politics, the United States Civil Service Commission has issued orders forbidding civil service employes to take any part in political campaigns except as voters, it was announced today.

In a circular issued nationally, the commission listed among the forbidden activities service on political committees or as officers of political clubs, work in rallies, or the making of public speeches, "offensive activities", at the polls or acting as watchers, checkers, etc., for parties at polls, or holding any election office.

It also forbids the writing of views for publication, running for local office, distributing campaign material, or circulating petitions. The order also specifically prohibits presidential appointees using their authority to coerce or influence elections.

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Another story comes to us of conditions that should be carefully watched. It seems that some able-bodied men in town and country think and believe the Government in some way will furnish fuel and food for those in need. This is a grave mistake as the Government has never intended to lend assistance in this way. They will finance organizations that will give security and that is as far as they will go. A man who can give security that is security, can get money from local banking institutions. They have the money, but most of us do not have the security. Some of have refused to work for $1.50 per day saying it takes $6 or $7 a day to live. And so it goes. It doesn't take so much money to buy bread, bacon and beans, but it does take a lot to buy mule, gas and be nice to the girls. A lot of us have got to cut our cloth a bit closer, do without some of the luxuries that we like and have gotten used to, have to cut out joy-riding or steal to run the gas wagon. Now, it is up to you and up to me, and I don't propose to steal unless it is that or starvation. What are you going to do?

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If we had been writing the Democratic platform, we would have concondemned the negligence of State officials in the Young Brothers failure and their laxiness in looking after State deposits in banks that have caused financial loss to the State. We understand Chas. M. Howell, Democrat Chairman, is attorney for the Young Brothers is why the pussy-foot plank is in the platform. Any party that hasn't guts sufficient to flay such crookedness hardly deserves to win. The party who sits on the fence is not to be trusted by either side.

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The patients, the nurses, the matron and assistant and the surgeon, feel grateful to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rudy for the beautiful gladiolas and dahlias sent to brighten the rooms and cheer the patients. Flowers and cheerful words sometimes are of great assistance in sickness.

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Charley Blanton, the versatile editor of The Sikeston Standard, and his son, Charley, stopped off in New London Saturday morning long enough to make the Record an appreciated call. Young Charley is just recovering from a severe spell of typhoid fever and looks as though he had been run through a flint mill. Old Charley looks as good as he did 70 years ago when he and the senior editor of the Record sparked pretty girls in this part of Missouri. Young Charley was on his way to Troy to take his wife and baby home. They had been making her parents an extended visit. We always feel better after having talked with these good people.—Ralls County Record.

What is the Associated Industries of Missouri and what is its object? We hardly know, but have heard it was an organization of corporate interests who have employed a number of mighty fine fellows to look after their interests. Of course, they would naturally be against anything that would place more taxes on them, and we don't blame them a bit, for if we could hide our presses and other junk in the office so the assessor could not see it, maybe we, too, could be classed with intagible wealth, whatever that is. The farmer, country merchant and small tradesman can hide nothing and he is assessed and taxed just as though it was not mortgaged to the limit, while corporations and big interests in cities can hide their taxable property to a great extent. Taxes to be equal should be collected on income then the class that pays most all of it now, would pay little or nothing.

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The late Hebraic Brains of the University of Missouri, has sold his talents to the Associated Industries of Missouri to muddy the waters and pull the wool over the eyes of the public in order that they may not understand the intentions of the Missouri Survey Commission that stands for better schools, better eleemosynary institutions and lower taxes on tangible property. The money to carry on under the findings and recommendations of the Survey Commissions will come from higher income taxes—from those who are able to pay.

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The Post-Dispatch states in an editorial that Mrs. Ruth McCormick, candidate for Congress in Illinois does not know whether she is "wet or dry" and the editor of the Dexter Statesman rises to remark that he is durn certain he would not serve on any committee or commission to ascertain the facts in the case. Maybe that is what Senator Nye is trying to find out; if so, she apparently doesn't want him foolin' 'round on any such mission, judging by the passes and repasses between the two in public print recently.—Democrat-Argus.

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If any of our newspaper brethren are in need of a two-thirder in their printing department write to Berry Jordan, Clinton, Ky. He was an employee of The Standard for quite a while, is a fine young chap, good habits and a willingness to work.

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Until we have done everything a first-class busines man can do, any time spent complaining is a confession.

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Representative Whitecotton of Monroe County asked as to where he stood on the proposition to be submitted to the legislature by the Missouri Survey Commission, said: "Any set of men who advocate the retention of the present system of taxation so that big business will invest in the State, ought to be sent to the Home at Marshall, where the feebleminded are cared for. A continuation of the present system of taxation for a term of years will bring more wolves into Missouri than it will bring industries".

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It is not too early for sportsmen going into the field with gun and dog to start the habit of carrying an ear or two of corn for the birds, according to John H. Ross, game and fish commissioner, who as chief of wardens last year directed the winter feeding of birds in Missouri. This corn shelled or tied to vines out of reach of rodents will be greatly appreciated by pheasants, quail and wild turkeys it is pointed out. More than 88,000 pounds of shelled grain were used in the State-wide bird feeding program last winter.

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There are lots of fathers who browse around and fall into evil ways in every community. There are girls and young men who wander from the family fireside and engage in indescretions of various sorts. There are mothers who treat their family duties entirely too lightly. As a consequence there are some who conscientiously declare that the home is deteriorating, others make jesting references to the modern home. It requires the co-operation of all members of a family to make a bright, happy, God-fearing home, therefore, all the blame cannot be laid to the children, the fathers or the mothers. But who is there, regardless of how far they may stray at times, but who cherishes a refuge after he has rubbed elbows with the evil and the vice of the outside world, in a place called home, a place of rest and quiet, a place where love is born, nourished, and reachest its highest state of development. We should have more respect for our homes, and probably the best contribution some of us could make would be to be more cautious about our conduct on the outside, for, if we travel in the mire and filth it is difficult to shake it all from our feet as we enter our homes.—Jackson Cash-Book.

DO YOU KNOW

That farm property under ten years of Republican rule has steadily depreciated in value; that farm products have fallen to pre-war prices?

That both wheat and cotton are selling below the cost of production? That the Republican Secretary of Agriculture predicts that for the next seven years the price of grain will be lower than during the last seven years?

That the framers and their families constitute a third of the population of the United States and that the prosperity of the country as a whole cannot be restored without restoring prosperity to the farmers?

That the Republican Party has failed absolutely to keep its oft repeated pledge to relieve the depressed condition of agriculture; that President Hoover and his predecessors thru three Congresses rejected an agricultural program sponsored by leading farmers of the nation?

That approximately 85 per cent of the land under cultivation in the United States produces crops that yield exportable surpluses and that these crops, under normal conditions, bring back to this country from foreign markets approximately a billion dollars a year?

That the lately enacted Hoover-Grundy Tariff law which strangles our foreign trade drastically controls the exportation of surplus farm products; that since the bill was reported to the House May 7, 1930, there has been a continuous decline in American exports and a corresponding decline in the market price of major farm products?

That under the cloak of granting tariff "favors" to agriculture a Republican Congress has increased the rates on manufactured products which the farmers must buy to the highest levels in history, thereby adding to rather than lightening the farmers' burden?

That the Republican Congress and the President, in passing the Hoover-Grundy Tariff law, refused to heed the protests that had been vigorously urged against the measure by a thousand economists, by many notable financiers and by more than fty per cent of the press of the nation?

That farms valued at forty million dollars have been foreclosed through the Federal Farm Loan System and the Joint Stock Land Banks alone, because of the inability of farmers to meet their obligations during this period of Republican rule?

That President Hoover's Federal Farm Board, although it has had one quarter of a billion dollars placed in its hands, has failed utterly to meet the farm problem and that every product with which it has had any known connection has declined in price,

That the chief remedy now offered despairing farmers for their ills by the Republican administration is the reduction of acreage or in other words the limitation of agricultural enterprise?

That the avowed policy of the Farm Board is to make "studies and surveys and persuade farmers to reduce the production of exportable crops"?

That agriculture prospered under Democratic rule?

That the Republican party has forfeited its right to your confidence and even if you have hitherto pinned all your faith to that party you now owe it to yourself and your family to vote for the restoration of Democratic control of the government?

DeSoto—Gulf Pipe Line Co. has established two camps near here to carry on construction work on pipe line from Texas fields to refinery at Wood River, Ill.

Missouri has State fish hatcheries located at the following places: Cedar Fork, Perry County; Gibbs Lake, Crawford County; Swope Park, Jackson County; Cedar Gap, Wright County; Higginsville, Lafayette County; Bennett Springs, Laclede County; Forest Park, St. Louis; Sequiota Park, Greene County; Roaring River, Barry County, Chesapeake Lawrence County.

The Democratic Central Committee of Cape Girardeau County, has named the following candidates, in addition to those chosen in the primary election. Representative, B. Hugh Smith, Cape Girardeau; Presiding Judge, G. W. Howard of Whitewater township; County Judge, first district, Elmer Kinder of near Daisy; County Judge, second district, C. G. Wilson of Cape Girardeau; County Clerk, Homer O'Neil of Jackson; Common Pleas Court Clerk, E. P. Ellis of Cape Girardeau; Probate Judge, J. T. McDonald of Jackson. The special committee filing the ticket consisted of R. L. Dearmont; County Chairman, Mrs. A. R. Zoelsmann, Miss Clara Hutson, Joe Smith and Robert Hope.

FLORIDA 1928 GALE DEATH TOLL TWICE THAT OF PRESENT

Washington, Sept. 5.—Red Cross records show that the hurricane that struck Santo Domingo Wednesday killed almost three times as many persons as were killed in Porto Rico by the hurricane of 1928. The 1928 storm, however, also caused almost twice as many deaths in Florida as were caused by the Santo Domingo hurricane.

An official report today placed Santo Domingo deaths at 1000; injured, 2500. The 1928 hurricane killed 283 in Porto Rico and injured 4232. It took 1810 lives in Florida and injured 1849 persons.

Just four years ago a hurricane took two and a half times as many lives in Cuba as were taken by the Santo Domingo storm. Following that disaster, the American Red Ambassador at Havana for relief work. Fifty thousand dollars already have been made available for the present disaster.

A twenty-six year old searchlight of 250,000,000 candle-power which was one of the marvels of the St. Louis World's Fair is being restored to service at the City Hall, University City, Mo. The electric beacon with its five-foot lens will be much more powerful than any now known to exist even taking into consideration the many powerful air beacons. The giant rays of the searchlight according to engineers will be visible as far away as Jefferson City.

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WILL DEDICATE 'SHOE STRING' STADIUM

Cape Girardeau broke into metropolitan journalism last Sunday when a feature writer of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat was given a full illustrated page to explain the conception and construction of the new Normal School stadium and field house "on a shoe string".

The St. Louis writer related in detail the events leading up to the climax which will be reached next October 3, when the Southeast Missouri State Teachers College officially dedicates Houck Field and Stadium.

President Serena, said the writer, first purchased an abandoned rock quarry near the campus, and by drafting twenty or more day workers, and securing a number of broken down and discarded highway steam shovels and trucks, wrought from the wreckage and junk pile, a modern $100,000 stadium. The field house has been in use for more than one year.

It was literally built on a "shoe string". There was no State appropriation. The student body, numbering on an average less than 700 could not be expected to donate in terms of five figures, but financed it was. The project stands completed now and the dedication ceremony program will officially close the first chapter—that of construction.

The program:

10 a. m.—Street parade.

11 a. m.—Dedication of field and stadium.

12 noon—Luncheon tendered invited guests by Chamber of Commerce.

2:30 p. m.—Football game, Carbondale vs. Cape Girardeau.

Higginsville—Cheney's Millinery Store opens in Genser building.

Not one penny of State tax money is used by the Missouri Game and Fish Department in its program to restore the wild life of the State. Hunting and fishing license revenues which in 1929 amounted to more than $362,886 is used in this work in which the State's 307,000 licensed hunters and fishermen are enlisted.

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GARY REPLIES TO BULLETIN BY DR. LOEB

Macon, Mo., September 10.—Replying to a charge by Dean Isidor Loeb of Washington University school of finance, Theodore Gary, chairman of the Missouri Survey Commission, declared in a statement last night that "there is ample proof, both in the survey report and out of it for the statement that tangible property constitutes but 20 per cent of the wealth of the State".

Mr. Gary said the Associated Industries of Missouri, which published a pamphlet written by Dean Loeb, had "persisted in publishing misleading statements" regarding the Survey Commission's tax equalization program.

"The commision's report specifically shows the total income of local and State government of Missouri, except for roads. is 114½ million dollars", Mr. Gary said. "It further shows tangilble property bears 107½ million dollars, which is 94 per cent of the total tax burden. Such a disproportionate and unfair burden upon one class of wealth is not only inexcusable but fatal to our economic welfare".

DEMOCRATIC RESISTANCE TO REPUBLICAN PROSPERITY

Robert Lucas, of Kentucky, yesterday assumed the position of executive director of the Republican national committee. The occasion was made memorable by the issuance of a remarkable statement.

It makes it clear, from the Republican viewpoint, the cause of the economic depression and its failure to revive.

The Democrats brought about the depression with the view to embarrassing the Republican party and disturbing prosperity that always goes hand in hand with a Republican administration.

Having precipitated the depression over the protest of the Republican party, the Democrats are now exerting every effort to prevent a return to prosperity, which is knocking at the door.

The Democrats will not permit prosperity to return until after the November election, and in the meantime will capitalite conditions for the benefit of partisan politics.

This, in substance, is Mr. Lucas' contention, and it is up to him to sell the idea to the people and save the country for Republicanism.

Mr. Lucas takes the traditional attitude of Republican leaders.

When the country is prosperous credit belongs exclusively to the Republican party.

When times are hard, responsibility rests with Providence and the Democratic party.

Usually the bulk of the blame for adversity is attributed to the Democrats.

When the country is prosperous under a Republican administration all credit belongs to the Republican majority.

When times are hard under a Republican administration the blame rests with the Democratic minority.

When the country is prosperous under a Democratic administration it is in spite of attempts of Democrats to produce hard times.

In periods of depression under a Democratic administration, it is attributed soely to Democratic mismanagement, and despite the corrective measures proposed by the Republicans.

Sensible people do not attribute conditions, such as we are now experiencing, solely to political parties or politics.

Political parties are contributing factors, and the party in power cannot claim credit for prosperity and cannot escape responsibility for depression.

Any Democrat who would be guilty of the charges made by Lucas ought to be shot.

Any person, Republican, or Democrat, who believes Mr. Lucas' statement ought to be confined in an insane asylum.—Commercial Appeal.

Princeton—Ravanna paving completed.

Excelsior Springs—Steel hand rails placed at Spring Street entrance to springs.

ESTRAY

The following described mules were picked up as astray near the W. C. Burns farm 6 miles Northeast of Sikeston on August 27.

One black mare mule, about 15 hands high, blind in left eye.

One brown mare mule, about 15 hands high, blind in left eye.

Owner will prove claim to the property, pay for feed and thsi advertisement.

W. C. BURNS
Box 314, Route 1
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WHEN MODERNIZING, GET HISTORY PHOTOGRAPHS

Harry Kuboda of the Van Dyke Studio, comes forward with a suggestion to all home owners that are thinking of remodeling or modernizing their homes. This suggestion was inspired by seeing the "before and after" illustrations that have been appearing on the modernizing pages in The Standard.

"Keep a photographic history of your modernization efforts", suggests Mr. Kuboda. "Before remodeling the exterior of your old home take a picture of the old relic so that in years to come you will be able to recall just exactly how it once appeared. The human memory is frail and the picture which is so plain today soon fades. Keep a permanent record of your improvements in the form of a photograph".

The Home Modernizing Movement as sponsored by The Standard is meeting with unusual reception. Telephone calls to your editorial rooms are indicative of the interest the public is taking in the effort to beautify, improve and modernize the homes of this city.

Already a number of local persons have volunteered that they are interested in the subject and are now planning to modernize their old homes. Local business men are eager to co-operate with any home owners who are thinking along these lines. Their expert talent is at the disposal of any readers of this paper without obligation.

That the home modernizing movement will be a benefit to the community is the opinion of many. They point out that there are a number of streets that are marked with old time worn out houses that need the magic of modernization. The home owner who will take steps to improve the exterior appearance of these houses is rendering a public service and should be commended highly.

RAILROADS OFFER LOW RATES TO DAIRY SHOW

Unprecedented low railroad rates for the National Dairy Exposition at the Arena in St. Louis October 11-19, taking in practically the entire United States and Canada, have been announced from the headquarters of the National Dairy Association.

In general, a rate of fare and one-third for the round trip will apply to the Southeastern territory between the Ohio and Potomac Rivers and the Gulf and in the Southwestern States from the Mississippi River to the Rockies and also in the State of Illinois. A rate of one and one-half fares for the round trip will apply in northern Kentucky, Indiana, Ohio and lower Michigan. In practically all the rest of the United States and Canada the rate is one and one-half fare for the round trip on the certificate plan. Tickets go on sale October 9 with a liberal time allowance for return trips.

For the special State days during the Exposition, a rate equal to 75 per cent of the one-way fare for the round trip is authorized for those States. These tickets are good only in day coaches with a time limit of from two to three days for the return trip. All railroads entering St. Louis are also planning to operate special trains to the Exposition.

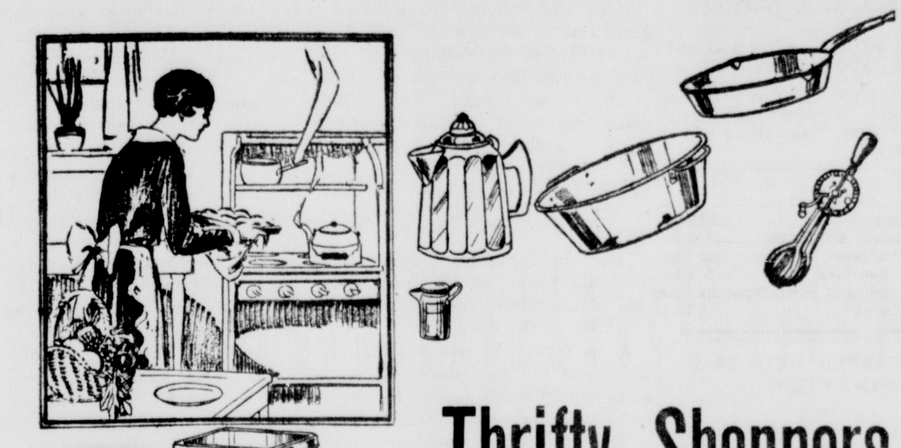
EMERGENCY PASTURE NEEDED

In addition to the grain shortage resulting from the drouth, the shortage of pasture and roughage requires that crops will furnish these elements to be sown at once says W. C. Etheridge, chairman of the department of field crops of the Missouri College of Agriculture. Wheat and rye are the most practical crops for this purpose.

Wheat, because of its higher nutritive value as livestock feed and its more favorable relation to spring sown clover, is the most promising of these crops. Where drouth stricken corn is removed early for silage or fodder, the land will require very little preparation for sowing wheat. By taking advantage of this condition the wheat crop can be produced at an unusually low cost per acre. In addition, wheat is a good nurse crop for young clovers and grasses.

Wheat following corn should receive 50 to 300 pounds per acre of a 4-12-2 fertilizer mixture. Wheat sown after wheat or oats may be treated with the ordinary application of 200 to 250 pounds per acre of high grade phosphate. The general destruction of young clover by drouth will cause an increased seeding of clover in the spring of 1931. Therefore, the fertilizer applied to wheat this fall will nearly everywhere serve the double purpose of increasing the grain yield and stimulating the growth of clover.

Unionville—The Fashion Shoppe is new ladies' ready-to-wear store to open in former location of Baker Clothing Co. in Davidson building.



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ROAD BUILDING

This paper favors the construction of a hard road wherever it can be arranged in this county. The hearing Tuesday was on the "Concord" road. We favor its construction, but we believe that it should be gravel, made a part of the system which the State will take over and maintain. It is a farm-to-market road and nothing else.

There is little doubt in our mind but that the present route of 60 will be changed in this county. We are reasonably certain that from Wyatt to Birds Point the present route will be abandoned because of the floodway. Whether it is built upon top of the levee or otherwise, there will be a change. Whether the road will be changed from its present location beginning at Gaty's corner, west of Bertrand and run directly east on an air-line to the Davis Watts corner 1 mile south of Thad Snow's residence we do not know but we fear that it will. In this case, the route from Gaty's through Bertrand and thence to Charleston, to Snow's and on to the Watts corner will be abandoned and this will cause the county, if present practice of the Highway Department is continued, to lose the refund on 12 additional miles.

It is stated that the refund due this county is $250,000. In order to lose as little of that as possible, or none at all, we favor the building of refund roads until all of that refund money is used in the construction of roads in the county.

We have little comment to make on the meeting Tuesday when fire was in the eyes of a number and there was spirited discussion. However, the petition should be amended, in our opinion, in the second line of the last paragraph, changing the word "definite" to "general."

The word "definite" is treacherous, we believe. The highway department has taken the stand that no road is "permanent" (definite) if it seeks to change it, and that is what we are facing now in considering the loss of refund if those changes are made in route 60.

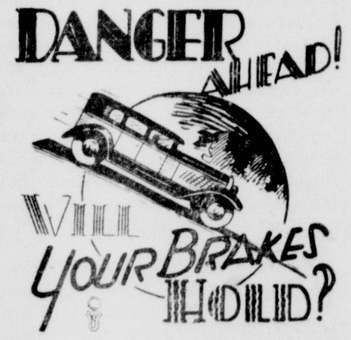
The Highway Department took over 60 from Bird's Point to the Scott County line. If anyone had said that it was temporary he would have been denounced as crazy or a sharper. For the highway department to deny this county the proper refund on anticipated changes is morally and otherwise wrong.

Therefore rather than take a chance on losing the refund we say build the Concord road and any others so as to utilize the refund due us.

Over in Scott County the county court is facing the same proposition as is likely we shall face. It has employed a lawyer, Ray Lucas, and he is to be paid $5000 and a percentage of whatever sum he saves the county because of the changes being made in route 61 from Ancell to Benton and the latter place to Sikeston.—Charleston Enterprise-Courier.

Herculaneum—Cornerstone laid at new Baptist church.

Choose designs for children's clothes with ironing in mind, whether you make the clothes yourself or buy them ready-made. Fussy ruffles and queer-shaped parts take up the time of the laundress, and never look as well after washing and ironing as trim, smooth garments that are well-cut and made of interesting materials.



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BOTH TARRED WITH THE SAME STICK

There will be no reference to the Young brothers' failure in either the Republican or Democratic platform, according to pre-convention forecasts from Jefferson City. If the prophecy is fulfilled, both parties will have miserably dodged their plain moral and political duty.

The Young brothers' so-called brokerage house operated a "racket" which amounted to $2,000,000. The enterprise was conducted in violation of the law designed to protect the the public from just such swindles. The Young brothers courted and obtained important political friendship. They subscribed to the campaign fund of Secretary of State Becker, responsible for enforcing the blue-sky law, and received from him appreciative acknowledgment of their help. They employed Attorney-General Shartel, paying him in monthly installments a retainer of $3000, for which that official admitted he performed no service. They employed State Senators of both parties, lesser politicians of both parties, and among their office documents was a letter by Chairman Howell of the Democratic State Committee certifying complimentarily as to their character.

As reputable political organizations both the Republican and Democratic parties ought to denounce the Young brothers scandal. Both ought to pledge themselves to the strengthening and enforcement of the blue-sky law so that a repetition of this outrage shall not occur. Both parties should profess repentance, with earnest resolve to sin no more, because both parties are tarred with the same stick.
and they so morally bankrupt that they are afraid to do it?—Post-Dispatch.

We observe that with the scarcity of money, the great surplus of grain throughout the land, and the shipment of livestock to the markets, that the things we must buy at the stores to eat is gradually sliding up in price. There sure ought to be something done about this.

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Out in Kansas, a convict broke jail twice, escaped the execution of a death sentence, lived almost forty years unidentified, and died a prosperous farmer. A life-time of useful endeavor ought somehow to cancel automatically responsibility for an ancient crime. If a man can live for a quarter-century in such manner as to hold his place in the ranks of good citizenry the while, it is safe to assume either that he has undergone a genuine repentance, or that he was not guilty in the first place.

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Joe Percente held forth at the Baptist Church in Sikeston several nights recently. One who attended stated that at one of Joe's sermons on Sunday he talked of what a tough man he had been al his life—saloon keeper, bootlegger, and everything—and then reformed. The Standard editor was glad he was not present to hear such confessions from the pulpit. And come to think of it, just how does such cattle get into a respected pulpit. Joe stated to the editor that he was part French and the balance Choctaw Indian. We don't know what blood did run thru his veins, but to us he was a typical Italian raceteer. So long, Joe.

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Do women dress to please other women, or themselves, or the men? This question is being debated from one end of America to the other. We say they dress to please the men. The fact that styles always are so fashioned as to gratify the masculine weakness for views of feminine anatomy is conclusive argument to this effect. Nobody can recall an era in which dresses did not reveal some charm the men were not supposed to see. Now that they are surfeited with exhibitions of lower extremities the order has gone forth to drop skirts several inches lower and add decollette effects to the upper fabrics. Since women do not care to see such displays, and since men dearly love them, how can any other conclusion be reached than that the pleasure of men rather than their own pleasure or that of other women is what women dress for?—Paris Appeal.

DAY BY DAY WITH GOVERNOR PATTERSON

Coste and Bellonte accomplished a great feat of courage and skill. They are entitled to the plaudits they have received and they are not unmindful of the money reward. Two million dollars worth of contracts are now made, according to the newspapers.

There was a time when courage had no price and expected no money reward, but that time has almost passed.

Here in Tennessee among the mountain people of the middle section of the State was a conspicuous exception to the rule.

Alvin York, who was the individual hero of the war, absolutely refused to capitalize his fame. He declined motion picture contracts and other appearances that would have made him a very rich man. Instead he has devoted his life to raising modest funds for the education of the children of his birthplace, married a modest mountain girl, and withdrew from the glare and glitter in which his appaulding countrymen would have surrounded him had he been of the mercenary breed.

York is a wonderful character and Lindbergh is another. We should not forget them in praising the Frenchmen.

Then we should not forget Andree and his companions frozen for 33 years in the silent Arctic snows and ice, unmindful of the fact that the seas had been crossed by airships and two poles had been discovered.

There is a certain great dignity and majesty in the deaths of these explorers who fell victims to the cruel biting teeth of the freezing cold. They perished alone. There were no crowds to witness their heroism and applaud them as exhausted they lay down to die. There never is when men fail, only when they succeed. Surely though there must be a glory that settles over the headless skeleton of Andree, who tried and failed.—Commercial Appeal.

Our eyes are not so keen as they once were, but we can still see that Sikeston has a great many very handsome High Shcool girls. We hesitated before writing this paragraph for fear it would not be weil received and understood in certain quaters, however, it is so, and truth must prevail.

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The editor set down to one of the best meals he has had for many a day Tuesday at his own home. Some good friend sent in a big mess of mustard greens which were cooked with a ham hock that came from somewhere. Then there was a big plate of real corn bread. Oh, boy!

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The Prince of Wales is made an Air Marshal, a Lieutenant General, and a Vice-Admiral in one day. No doubt his poor old father was relieved to hear that Ed was to have steadywork, and probably would get through the winter somehow.

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A newspaper states that the body of a young woman suicide was found by her "mate". Considering the unpleasant flavor that is often attached to that word, and that most readers sometimes, and many readers most of the time, do not scrutinize beyond the heading, it would have been an act of charity toward the unfortunate wife to have pointed out that the "mate" who made the dismal find was her husband.

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Messrs. Coste and Bellonte, nervy lads from the territory of ancient Gaul, reverse Col. Lindbergh's historic flight and drive their plane from Paris to New York, in spite of Davy Jones' yawning locker. They have demonstrated that men of kindly purpose can travel as quickly from France to America as from America to France. The work of the air craft, as a means for uniting the nations of the earth in the bonds of good will, has only begun.

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The farmer who is selling his good, white, dry cotton for 3 cents per pound in the seed certainly ought to thank Mr. Hoover and Mr. Hyde for that farm relief they promised. The men, women and children who are picking coton for 50c per hundred certainly ought to be thankful for the good old Republican tariff that we've always heard meant high wages. Then after getting in a thankful mood they ought to go ahead and thank Dewey Short who voted to increase this wonderful tariff so the manufacturers can sell this 3-cent cotton back to them in the form of shirts and socks and other wearables for 50c a pound or more, regardless of the price at which it was bought. Dewey will be around before long asking to be sent back for another term. What are you going to tell him?—Bloomfield Vindicator.

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Kansas ity—Land-Thompson Chevrolet Company moves to new building at 71st and Wyandotte St.

HURRICANE HISTORY

Hurricanes have scourged countries of the Caribbean area since the beginning of history, and the fact that these nations have always been able to recuperate physically and economicaly after each is a tribute to their courage and stamina.

From Columbus' first voyage in 1492 until 1855 there occurred 355 hurricanes of sufficient violence to be recorded in standard histories of the Antilles and in that record is the story of perhaps the greatest and longest sustained fight made by people in any part of the globe against the adverse forces of nature.

During the last half century 316 West Indian hurricanes have been classified by U. S. weather experts, so that the long narrative of nature's violence is virtually complete.

Columbus reported that when coasting the northern coast of Cuba in 1492 he was driven by violent winds 56 leagues to the north. The storm compelled him to remain in harbor off "Espanola" several days.

A year later, returning to Spain, Columbus' ships were struck by a hurricane which lasted three days. The great navigator was so certain of impending disaster that he wrote an account of his discoveries and threw it overboard.

A few major catastrophes through the centuries follow:

In 1508, Santo Domingo, scene of the present disaster, was struck by a huricane, houses were wrecked, and 20 vesels were destroyed.

The year 1642 was marked by three terrific hurricanes in the West Indies, and 23 vessels were wrecked on the coast of St. Kitts.

In 1650 the island of Guadeloupe was devastated.

Barbadoes, in 1669, experienced a hurricane which blew down 300 houses, killed 200 and wrecked eight ships in the harbor.

Antigua was desolated in 1621.

The town of Port Royal in Jamaica, was hit by a hurricane in 1722 which wrecked number of vessels and killed 400.

In 1759 occurred one of the strangest weather phenomenons ever recorded. Heavy gales impeded the current of the gulf stream, which was forced from behind by trade winds off the Gulf of Mexico. The sea rose until it is said to have completely submerged Tortugas and other islands in that region.

The Spanish fleet of five rich treasure ships bound from Vera Cruz for Havana and Old Spain was forced ashore by a hurricane in 1766.

The storm, recorded in history as "the most terrific cyclone that ever occurred", and still referred to as "the greatest hurricane", occurred in October, 1780. It started at Barbadoes, where trees and houses were all blown down, moved northward to Santa Lucia, where it engulfed an English fleet, and buried 6000 people beneath ruins on that island. Next it swept Martinique, where it destroyed a French fleet of 40 ships carrying 400 soldiers. The huricane sank ships as far north as Bermuda.

In 1791 a combined hurricane and flood in Cuba destroyed the Royal Tobacco Mills and killed 257 persons.

Probably the most persistent hurricane ever reported was that in 1899 which swept the Leeward and Virgin Islands, Porto Rico, the Bahamas, and part o fthe United States coast. It lasted more than a month.

The U. S. Weather Bureau has kept a systematic record of hurricanes over the period 1879-1928, which recently was analyzed by Charles L. Mitchell, meteorologist, in an official publication.

He found that the number of hurricanes varies greatly from year to year, for unknown causes. The least in a year was one in 1890, and the greatest number, 16, in 1887. During the first 25 years—1879-1903—there were 174, and during the second 25 year period—1904-1928—142.

Mitchell reported that no tropical cyclone of hurricane intensity has ever, so far as known, reached the gulf or Atlantic coast of the United States in any month except the five month period from June to October, inclusive.

He also learned that about seven per cent of the tropical cyclones occur in June, 8 per cent in July, 18 per cent in August, 35 per cent in September, and 32 per cent in October.—Commercial Appeal.

A Yankee thug, marked for deportation from Germany, will be permitted to tarry a while beside a healing spring in the Fatherland, if he can convince the authorities that his stomach actually is out of whack. One touch of colic makes the whole world kin.

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The owl that has been hanging around the Hog Ford Church has got used to the preaching and singing every Sunday and now just sits around right quiet and wonders what it is all about.—Commercial Appeal.

THE TREASURE HOUSE, THE MISSISSIPPI VALLEY

The Mississippi Valley contains 34 per cent of the total population of the United States, 66 per cent of the rural, 58 per cent of the native, and 61 per cent of the home-owning population, 64 per cent of the land, 80 per cent of the cropped land.

Produces 100 per cent of the cane sugar, flaxseed, broomcorn; 80 to 90 per cent of the corn, wheat, oats, rye, rice; 70 to 80 per cent of the barley, livestock and total crops; 60 to 70 per cent of the sweet potatoes, hay, cotton, cottonseed, beet sugar, cane syrup, wool; 50 to 60 per cent of the potatoes, tobacco, cowpeas, peanuts, lumber of the United States.

Produces 90 to 100 per cent of the coal coke, pig iron, iron ore; 70 to 80 per cent of the gasoline, petroleum; 60 to 70 per cent of the gas, potash, salt; 50 to 60 per cent of the gypsum, pottery of the United States.

Manufactures 80 to 90 per cent of the agricultural implements, automobiles, iron and steel work; 70 to 80 per cent of the automobile parts, butter, flour, meat, turpentine, resin; 60 to 70 per cent of the artificial stone products, carriage and wagon materials and carriages and wagons, cheese, engines, structural iron; 50 to 60 per cent of the awnings, tents, sails, brick, terra cotta, coffee and spices roasted and ground, copper, tin and sheet iron, miscellaneous food preparations, furniture, glass, lumber, timber products, cottonseed oil, cake and meal, miscellaneous rubber goods and 45 per cent of all manufactures in 1919.

Produces 80.8 per cent of the wheat—manufactures only 71.1 per cent of the wheat products.

Produces 61.6 per cent of the cotton goods.

Produces 99.0 per cent of the cane sugar—manufactures only 42.4 per cent of the confectionery.

Produces 61.6 per cent of the wool—manufactures only 4.5 per cent of the woolen goods.

Produces 74.8 per cent of the livestock—manufactures only 32.0 per cent of the leather.

Produces 69.6 per cent of all crops—manufactures only 59.5 per cent of miscellaneous food products.

Produces 52.9 per cent of the lumber—manufactures only 29.8 per cent of the pig iron—manufactures only 32.1 per cent of the hardware, 47.5 per cent of the machine shop products, 32.1 per cent of the electrical machinery, 63.4 per cent of the engines.—Research Department, New Orleans Chamber of Commerce.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Lizzie and A. H. Anderson and Zeno Clardy to St. Louis Union Trust Co.: 360,38a 9-28-14, $6000.

Fred Dierssen to St. Louis Joint Stock Land Bank, 160a 12-29-12, $4,000.

Farm & Home Savings & Loan Association, lot 17 block 16 Chamber of Commerce addition Sikeston. $1600.

Andrew Bucher to Phillip Bucher, land 2-28-13, $1.

F. A. Griggs to J. F. Little, 160a 28-13, $3500.

H. W. Duke to Chaffee Building & Loan Association, lot 18 block 11, Chaffee, $100.

James Arnold to Federal Land Bank of St. Louis, 80a 8-26-13, $4,892.70.

John Pilliard to Scott County Building & Loan Aosociation, part lots 4 and 5, all 12, 13 block 9 Bell addition, Fornfelt, $540.—Benton Democrat.

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FRENCH COFFEE, 2 lbs. 59c

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According to this method of treatment he does not operate for chronic appendicitis, gall stones, ulcers of stomach, goitre, tonsils or adenoids.

He has to his credit many wonderful results in diseases of the stomach, liver, bowels, blood, skin, nerves, heart, kidney, bladder, bed wetting, catarrh, weak lungs, rheumatism, sciatica, leg ulcers, hemorrhoids or piles, and slow growth in children.

If you have been ailing for any length of time do not fail to call, as improper measures rather than disease are very often the cause of your long standing trouble.

Remember above date and that his services on this trip will be free, making only a charge for medicine in cases which are accepted for treatment.

Married ladies must be accompanied by their husbands.

Address: Dr. Beedle, 18280 Prairie Ave., Detroit, Mich.

Turtles are declared to be a formidable enemy to fish propagation in Missouri streams and considerable loss of young fingerlings is laid at their door. The fish and game department states that the soft-shelled and snapper turtles are the best forms of edible turtles found in the State.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MORLEY

T. H. Neeley was removed to the Cape Girardeau Hospital Wednesday for examination and an operation Monday.

Aunt Jane Peal of Blodgett has been visiting here the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Faith of St. Louis moved to a farm between here and Blodgett.

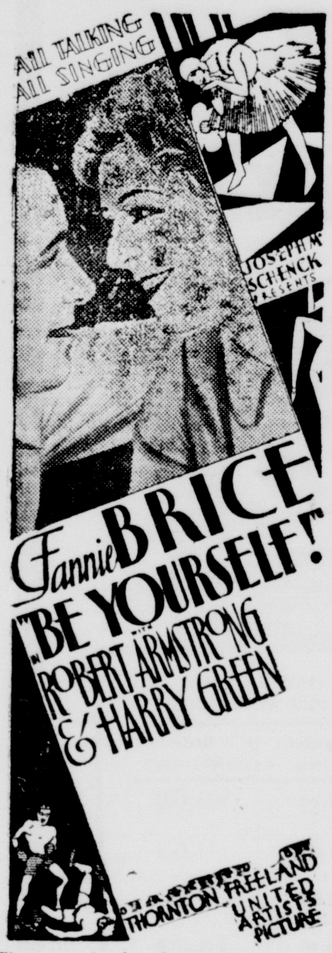
Harry Eskridge of St. Louis arrived Saturday evening to visit his grandmother, Mrs. Elmira Bynum.

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Thursday and Friday
Sept. 11-12



The comedy knock-out of the year with singing, talking and dancing! PATHE NEWS and Comedy—"FOLLOW THE SWALLOW"

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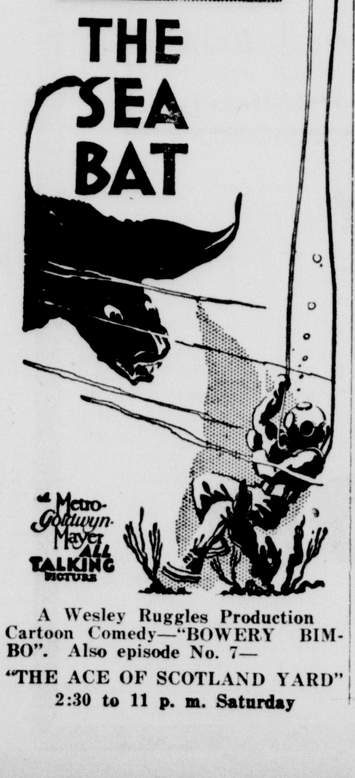
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A Wesley Ruggles Production Cartoon Comedy—"BOWERY BIMBO". Also episode No. 7—

"THE ACE OF SCOTLAND YARD"

2:30 to 11 p. m. Saturday

Sunday and Monday
Sept. 14-15

Afternoon and Evening

"Anybody's Woman"

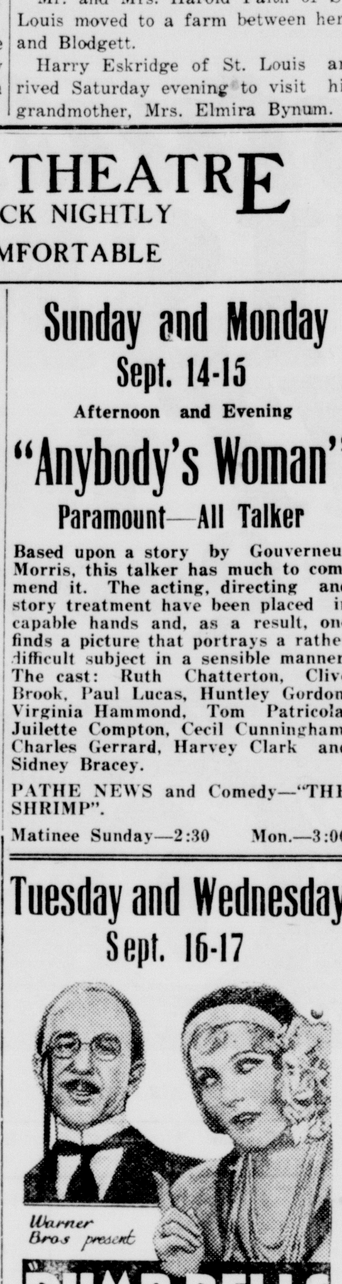
Paramount—All Talker

Based upon a story by Gouverneur Morris, this talker has much to commend it. The acting, directing and story treatment have been placed in capable hands and, as a result, one finds a picture that portrays a rather difficult subject in a sensible manner. The cast: Ruth Chatterton, Clive Brook, Paul Lucas, Huntley Gordon, Virginia Hammond, Tom Patricola, Juilette Compton, Cecil Cunningham, Charles Gerrard, Harvey Clark and Sidney Bracey.

PATHE NEWS and Comedy—"THE SHRIMP".

Matinee Sunday—2:30 Mon.—3:00

Tuesday and Wednesday
Sept. 16-17



He thought he was a symbol of virtue, but a nifty blonde who knew him when, upset his equilibrium. You'll get a real kick and a full measure of laughs from this smart and snappy comedy.

with

ROBERT ARMSTRONG, BARBARA KENT, BERYL MERCER, JAMES GLEASON and a great cast.



PATHE REVIEW and Comedy—"WEDNESDAY AT THE RITZ".

MATINEE WED.—3:00

COMING—Wm. Powell in "FOR THE DEFENSE", "LET'S GO NATIVE"

1931 AUTO LICENSE PLATES TO BE BLACK AND GREY

Next year's motor car licenses plates for Missouri will have black letters and numerals against a light grey background, according to an announcement today by the highway department.

Gainsville—Brdige being repaired across new channel west of town.

The geographical center of the United States is near Fort Riley, Kansas and is marked by an unmounted cannon set on a concrete pedistal.

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Mrs. Lucy Walton of near Blodgett is visiting her sons, Jesse.

Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Miller were Cape Girardeau shoppers, Saturday.

Vanda Jean Brashear went to Blodgett Saturday for a week-end visit.

Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Miller shopped in Cape Girardeau Saturday afternoon.

Misses Janice Emerson and Sarah Daugherty visited at Oran Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn and children were in Cape Girardeau and Fornfelt Saturday.

Mrs. G. W. Cox left Wednesday for St. Louis to visit at the home of John Worley and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Alford Bryant and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Darter were Cape Girardeau visitors, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Forgason of Rector, Ark., arrived Saturday for a visit at the Marvin Gibbs home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mize and baby of Sikeston came up Saturday for a week-end visit with the parents of each.

Mrs. L. C. Leslie went to Charleston Friday for a visit with her mothers, Mrs. Mary Thompson and other relatives.

Cotton is coming in rapidly, considering the scarcity of pickers, and a large per cent of the crop is open in the boll.

Mrs. Harris Foster, Mrs. J. R. Lee, Mrs. Maud Daugherty and Mrs. T. H. Neeley were Cape Girardeau visitors and shoppers, Thursday.

Mrs. Anna Underwood returned to her home in Cape Girardeau Saturday after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn and family.

Mesdames Leslie Watson, Maude Daugherty and Forrest Watson and two little daughters visited Mrs. Lizzie May at East Prairie, Friday.

Mrs. R. H. Leslie served a delicious six o'clock dinner Friday evening to Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Emerson, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Beardslee and L. C. Leslie.

A very interesting meeting of the M. E. Missionary Society was held at the home of Mrs. J. E. Smith Thursday with Mrs. Hal Boyce as leader.

John Carty of Colton, Calif., who lived in this County about seventeen years ago, arrived Saturday to visit his sister, Mrs. H. K. Dickey, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beardslee arrived here from Lebanon, Saturday, enroute to Detroit, Mich., via Kentucky. Mrs. Anna Beardslee accompanied them to Detroit for a visit.

Mrs. G. D. Harris was given a surprise birthday dinner Thursday by her many friends and neighbors. Each lady carried a covered dish and a sumptuous dinner was served at the noon hour.

NEWS ITEMS FROM MOREHOUSE VICINITY

E. V. Darnell has organized a Junior Band.

Mrs. C. L. Henson shopped in Cape Girardeau, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Vaughn and daughter spent Sunday in Matthews.

Mrs. John Shoulders of Sikeston visited friends in Morehouse Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Boone and Mrs. George Boone shopped in Sikeston Saturday afternoon.

The Ford supper which was sponsored by the Methodist church was well attended.

Jack Edwards of Kennett spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Edwards.

Roger Jones and Wes Sherwood of New Madrid were Morehouse visitors Wednesday afternoon.

Misses Ethel Comer and Helen Fuller visited Mrs. Ben Sutton in Poplar Bluff, Thursday.

Miss Flora Williams and Mrs. Anna Wright were business visitors of New Madrid, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Cain and daughter are now residing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Vick.

Miss Lucille McDonough and Chester Black of Morley visited friends in Morehouse Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Fisher, George Boone and Miss Alma Jones were visitors of New Madrid Thursday.

Dr. C. H. Pease returned Saturday from St. Louis, where he has been visiting friends for the past week.

Raymond Ursery, formerly of this place, now making his home in Cape Girardeau, spent the week-end in Morehouse.

F. W. Leming is confined to his home from slight injuries. He is employed as master mechanic of the Himmelberger-Harrison Lumber Co.

F. G. Zillmer has been in St. Louis for the past week on business.

Mrs. Rozella Taylor and Herman Bandy of Sikeston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Fisher Thursday evening.

The M. E. Missionary Society served the operating committee of the Himmelberger-Harrison Lumber Co. with a 12 o'clock luncheon Thursday.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM BLODGETT

Carl Parker and mother were in Blodgett, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cosgroves were in Blodgett, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Boardman were in Benton Tuesday.

Rev. Walt Hill and E. R. Putman made a business trip to Cairo, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson of Detroit, Mich., are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Annie Adams of Benton visited Mrs. J. S. Peal Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Finley and family of Oran visited Mr. and Mrs. C. Cope, Sunday.

Eugene and Joe Robert Nunnelee visited their grandmother at East Prairie.

J. F. Nunnelee, who had an attack of gall stone colic last week, is able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Estes motored to Marquand Sunday and visited Mr. Estes' relatives.

Mrs. Robinson and daughter of Florida is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Glen Clippard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Godwin and children spent the week-end in Jackson visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Peal and little daughter of Commerce were in Blodgett Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Nunnelee and sons Eugene and Joe Robert, visited in Cape Girardeau, Sunday.

Mrs. E. C. Graham and daughter, Jeanett and Mrs. Clarence Sadler, shopped in Cape Girardeau Tuesday.

Mrs. J. S. Peal and daughter, Mrs. Moss, Mrs. Audrey Reams and Mrs. Ralph Eatherson and little son shopped in Sikeston, Thursday.

Mrs. Carl Richard, who has spent the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Pearman, returned to her home in Flat River.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sadler and daughter of Wilson, Ark., visited Mrs. Sadler's parents, Sunday. Mrs. Sadler and daughter remained for a visit.

Marshall Hirsch, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Marshall, who has spent the summer here, returned to Cape Girardeau, preparatory to entering school.

Mrs. Charles Murphy had as her guest Saturday night, Mrs. Montgomery and little daughter and Mrs. Hatcher of Chaffee, Joe Hatcher of Cape Girardeau and Mrs. Florence James and children.

Those who attended the queen drawing at Benton Friday night were Misses Louise Peal, Jeanette Graham, Maxine Pearman, Mrs. Clarence Sadler, Woodrow and Robert Graham, Harold Cope and Mr. and Mrs. Godwin.

Miss Blanche Boardman and Hugh Blake of Granite City, Ill., visited the past two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Boardmen. They returned home Saturday. Miss Blanche is a student at the St. Elizabeth Hospital.

158 FAMILIES UNDER CARE OF RED CROSS

Butler County Chapter of the American Red Cross had 158 families under its care during the month of August, according to a case worker's report recently submitted to the Butler County Court.

Of the cases handled, 116 were civilian, with 101 resident, 15 transient and 42 ex-service. One hundred and sixty-five office interviews and home visits were made. Of these, 142 were offi;ce interviews, 22 were home visits and 4 were reference visits.

Food and clothing were furnished 40 families. Hospital care was secured in four cases, medical care in 6 cases and information was obtained in 21 instances. Seven ex-service men were assisted in filling out pension papers.

Unemployment led the problems with which the local Red Cross organization was confronted, with tuberculosis in second place.

Miss B. McDaniels, newly appointed executive secretary, is now in active charge of the local office, with headquarters in the basement of the courthouse building.—Poplar Bluff Republican.

The Sikeston Standard $1.50.

THE FARMER VS. THE MILLIONAIRE

The poor old farmer! How sorry we feel for him! He trudges along daily from early morn until twilight, trying to make an honest living and pay his taxes. he industrial worker puts in eight hours per day with a half holiday on Saturday, but the farmer is on duty every day—no chance for him to demand shorter hours and higher wages.

If he makes a good crop, the selling price of it stays low until the bulk of the crop gets into the hands of the wealthy. When it is finally sold to the consumer, the man who needs the money the least generally makes the most profit. The nancier gains more from handling the crop than the farmer profits for his wearisome summer's toil.

Yes, the farmer is abused and has a right to complain, which right he exercises occasionally. But will complaining give relief? The "Amalgamated Industries and What-Have-You" do not depend on complaining. They act, and get action. That's why they get more than their share of what is due them. They not only see that their rights are protected, but they also impose on the rights of the farmer and the owner of personal property and real estate.

The farmer has a lot to SAY about the injustices wished off on him, but doesn't DO anything about it. And we are constrained to believe that our worthy farmers will remain a down-trodden class of people until they arouse themselves to concerted ACTION and see that the lawmakers recognize their needs.

In order to do this, the farmer must keep himself informed. He must read more than the local news and the latest gossip. Without a working knowledge of the situation, he cannot do constructive work in bettering conditions.

Only the other day a farmer dangled a circular in his hand, which had been given to him to enlighten him concerning the proposed reduction of property taxes, as outlined by the State Survey Commission.

When asked what this circular was about, he replied, "Just a scheme to get somebody a job". He did not consider this circular seriously enough to try to understand it.

AGAIN KONJOLA GIVES PROOF OF ITS WORTH

Practical Nurse Says Famed Medicine Is Winning Stubborn Fight against Neuritis And Rheumatism.



MRS. S. E. EVANS

"For seven years I tried first one medicine and then another in an effort to free myself from the clutches of neuritis and rheumatism", said Mrs. S. E. Evans, 28th and Payton Streets, Little Rock. "I am a practical nurse and tried everything I knew about or that was recommended, but all to no avail. The agonizing pains of those ailments just getting worse right along.

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The truth is that taxes on property will be cut as much as $1.16 in some cases) if the proposals of the Survey Commission are put into effect by the next legislature. And it is up to the property owners to insist that their State representatives and senators take a militant part in putting over this desired legislation.

It is imperative that farmers and property owners wake up, throw aside the veils of prejudice and suspicion, and study these tax-reduction proposals in order to be able to make an intelligent fight for them. This course will net results, whereas complaining will only aggravate the situation.

This tax adjustment plan will be the biggest thing that ever happened to redeem rural Missouri from the chains of unjust and vicious taxation. It will cut the tax of the farmer and raise the income tax of the millionaire.

We may say more about details later.—Milus R. Davis.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Default having been made for more than six months in payment of dues and interest secured by note described in deed of trust executed by William H. Tanner and his wife, Rivers Tanner, dated February Twentieth, Nine Hundred Twenty-Six, and recorded on the Twenty-sixth day of February, Nineteen Hundred Twenty-six, in office of Recorder of Deeds for Scott County, Missouri, at Benton, Missouri, in Book number 51, at page number 101, conveying to undersigned the following described real estate and improvements thereon, in the County of Scott, State of Missouri, to-wit:

All of Lots number Fifteen (15) and Sixteen (16) in Block number Fifty-seven (57) of McCoy and Tanner's 9th Addition to the Town or City of Sikeston, Missouri, according to the recorded plat thereof, and all improvements thereon.

Now in accordance with the terms and conditions of said note and deed of trust and the legal holder and owner of said note and deed of trust having declared the whole debt due as secured thereby, I will, at the request of said legal holder and owner, on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16th, 1930

between the hours of 9:00 a. m. and 5:00 p. m. of said day sell the above described property to the highest bidder for cash at the Front Door of the Post Office in the Town or City of Sikeston, Scott County, Missouri, for the purpose of satisfying said debt and costs.

LEE B. EWING, Trustee

Pub. Aug. 22, 29, Sept. 5, 12, '30.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Default having been made for more than six months in payment of dues and interest secured by note described in deed of trust executed by William H. Tanner and his wife, Rivers Tanner, dated March Twentieth, Nineteen Hundred Twenty-six, and recorded on the Thirteenth Day of April, Nineteen Hundred Twenty-six, in office of Recorder of Deeds for Scott County, Missouri, at Benton, Missouri, in Book number 51, at Page number 110, conveying to undersigned the following described real estate and improvements thereon , in the County of Scott, State of Missouri, to-wit:

All of Lot number Fourteen (14), and all in the East Half of Lot number Thirteen (13), all in Block number Fifty-seven (57), of McCoy and Tanner's Ninth Addition to the Town or City of Sikeston, Missouri, according to the recorded plat thereof, and all improvements thereon.

Now in accordance with the terms and conditions of said note and deed of trust and the legal holder and owner of said note and deed of trust having declared the whole debt due as secured thereby, I will, at the request of said legal holder and owner, on

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Notice of Stockholders' Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the annual stockholders' meeting of the Sikeston Gin Co. will be hed in the offices of the Bank of Sikeston, Sikeston, Mo., on September 13th, 1930 at 8 o'clock p. m. and continue until the business for which said meeting is called has been transacted.

The purpose for which this meeting is called is to elect officers and directors for the ensuing year and for any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

JOS. L. MATTHEWS, President.

Attest:
Lacy E. Allard, Secretary.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MORLEY

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Porter visited in Benton Sunday.

Mrs. Maud Daugherty and daughters shopped in Cape Girardeau, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Lee and son, Tommy, shopped and visited in Cape Girardeau Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Englehart and son of Matthews visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Foster, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hutchason of Tanner visited their daughter, Mrs. Robert Darter, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Miller and family visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Leslie, Sunday.

Mrs. M. E. Wyatt and Leland Hill of Dexter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Darter Thursday.

The Missouri Pacific train was derailed Sunday afternoon somewhere north of here, causing a five-hour delay.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Harris and daughters, Mrs. J. O. Huffstedler and daughter shopped in Sikeston Saturday.

Mr. Burdon, coach at Will Mayfield College, spent Sunday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stallings.

Rev. C. W. Miller and Alden Stallings left Monday morning for Marble Hill to enter Will Mayfield College.

C. D. Cummins is suffering with a bone felon on his right hand, which necessitated his having a driver this week.

Miss Mabel Caughlin, who teaches at Kennett, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Caughlin.

Rev. Joe Percent, an Indian evangelist preached to a very appreciative audience at the Baptist church, Sunday morning.

Rev. J. W. Jeffries preached an interesting sermon at the Baptist Church Sunday night. Bro. Jeffries is president of Will Mayfield College and an able speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sikes of Ste. Genevieve, Mrs. Chas. Carter and Mrs. Dolph Sikes of Oran visited at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Foster and C. A. Stallings, Monday.

Miss Wilma Raigains of the Sikeston faculty was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Raigains. She was accompanied by Miss Dorothea Miller of Marble Hill.

The Eastern Star resumed its regular meetings, the second and fourth Tuesday nights of each month, with the meeting of Tuesday night, September 9, after a suspension of two months during the hot weather.

L. W. Revelle, C. A. Stallings, Mesdames Harris Foster, Lutie Les-Ralph Vaughn and J. R. Lee, Jr., lie, C. W. Miller, Maud Daugherty, Ralph Vaughn, J. W. Payton, R. H. Leslie and C. A. Stallings were among the number attending the Baptist Association at Gravel Ridge in Mississippi County, Tuesday and Wednesday.

HERMAN BUTLER WINS RINK HONORS MONDAY

Untimely spills on the part of Paul "Snake" Crain, Gilbert Clinton and Woodrow Hardin, sent Herman Butler across the finish tape a split second ahead of Stanley McElroy for speed honors at the local skating rink last Monday night. McElroy was defending his honors won last Saturday.

Hardin led in the 10-lap event until he tumbled and lost his advantage. Gilbert Clinton hit the floor at a turn and sent Crain into the lead with Butler. Crain and the champ outdistanced McElroy and Butler finished a half second in the lead.

The contests are open to everyone. Cash prizes will be awarded to winners in the finals.

CONDUCT RELIGIOUS MEETING IN VANDUSER NEIGHBORHOOD

The Rev. James Hootin, assisted by Ramond Hency and Nick Frey, have charge of a revival meeting at Vanduser, which started Sunday, September 7. The subjects of Regeneration, divine healing and other interesting matters are being treated. Rev. Hootin declares that he is not preaching Hootinism, Hencyism, or any other "ism", but that he is delivering the Word of God from the Bible. The meeting will last indefinitely.

REVIVAL IN PROGRESS THIS WEEK IN BERTRAND

Old-time preaching and singing is on the program in Bertrand this week in a large tent tabernacle. Rev. Frank Hetzel, evangelist extends an invitation to everyone to attend the nightly meetings. Services begin at 7:30 o'clock.

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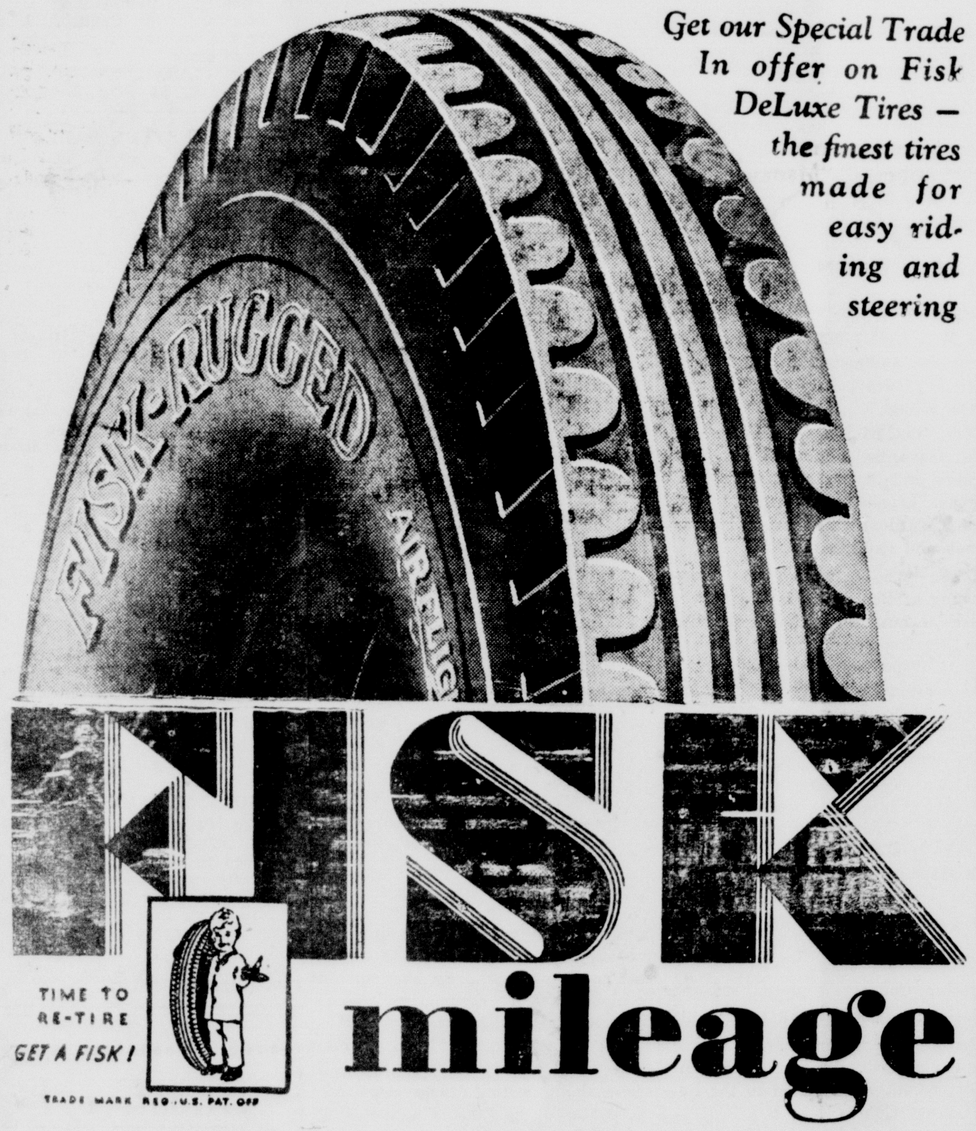
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4.50/20(29x4.50) Chevrolet 6	8.40	6.27	11.60	9.63
4.50/21(30x4.50) Chevrolet, Ford A	8.75	6.33	12.00	9.72
4.75/19(28x4.75) Durant, Whippet, Ford	9.35	7.52	12.40	10.23
4.75/20(29x4.75) Chrysler, Erskine, Plymouth, Pontiac	10.10	7.53	12.80	11.22
5.00/19(29x5.00) DeSoto, Dodge, Durant, Graham, Marmon, Pontiac, Roosevelt, Whippet, Willys-Knight	10.45	7.97	13.25	11.73
5.00/20(30x5.00) Essex, Nash	10.80	8.12	13.60	11.92
5.00/21(31x5.00) Essex, Nash, Oldsmobile	11.25	8.43	14.10	12.38
5.25/18(28x5.25) Auburn, Chrysler, Oldsmobile, Reo	11.75	8.96	14.60	11.63
5.25/19(29x5.25) Graham, Marmon, Peerless	12.20	9.17	14.90	13.15
5.25/20(30x5.25) Auburn, Chrysler, Durant, Hupmobile, Nash, Oakland, Oldsmobile Studebaker	12.60	9.38	15.40	13.62
5.25/21(31x5.25) Buick, Dodge, Franklin, Hupmobile, Nash, Studebaker	12.95	9.73	15.95	14.13
5.50/18(28x5.50) Auburn, Chrysler	13.00	9.87	15.85	13.62
5.50/19(29x5.50) Dodge, Graham, Hupmobile, Marmon, Nash, Oakland, Peerless, Studebaker, Willys-Knight	13.40	9.92	16.45	14.13
5.50/20(30x5.50) Buick, Studebaker	13.65	10.17	17.40	15.12
6.00/18(30x6.00) Auburn, Chrysler, Reo	14.35	10.72	17.50	16.27
6.00/19(31x6.00) Dodge, Franklin, Hudson, Hupmobile, Marmon, Peerless, Willys-Knight	14.70	10.97	18.05	16.63
6.00/20(32x6.00) Dodge, Franklin, Hupmobile, Nash, Packard, Peerless, Studebaker, Willys-Knight	15.15	11.37	18.40	17.07
6.00/21(33x6.00) Buick, Hudson, Hupmobile, Nash	15.65	11.72	19.00	17.43
6.50/18(30x6.50) Auburn, Reo	—	—	21.50	18.25
6.50/19(31x6.50) Franklin, Graham, LaSalle, Studebaker	—	—	21.75	18.92
6.50/20(32x6.50) Auburn, Buick, Reo, Studebaker, Willys-Knight	—	—	22.05	19.13

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SIKESTON MUNICIPAL LIGHT PLANT BOND ISSUE UPHELD BY STATE SUPREME COURT

A special dispatch to The Standard through the Poplar Bluff office of the Associated Press, confirmed a few moments later by a telegram from the clerk of the Supreme Court sent to Roger Bailey, City Attorney, stated that the Missouri Supreme Court this (Thursday) morning had issued a writ mandamus compelling the State auditor to register the Sikeston municipal light plant bond issue in the amount of $150,000.

On April 1 Sikeston went to the polls after an intensive campaign for and against a municipal light plant and voted on the $150,000 bond issue to make the plant a reality in this city.

Various opinions were circulated immediately following the official vote tabulation. In the opinion of the law firm of Benjamin H. Charles, St. Louis bond attorneys, the proposition carried. The count stood 1240 "yes" votes and 517 "no" votes. The poll books, however, gave the total votes cast on the bond issue proposition as 1886, a difference of 129 mutilated or discarded ballots.

The city found itself in an embarrassing position with reference to the legality of the issue, when the time arrived to sell bonds. The issue was subsequently purchased subject, however, to an opinion by the Supreme Court on the legality of the vote.

In the meantime, Roger Bailey, city attorney, and the law firm of Benjamin H. Charles filed a brief with the Supreme Court asking that the State Auditor be compelled to register the bonds. In non-technical language this gave an opportunity to review in detail the entire election in a friendly test suit.

The writ of mandamus issued by the Court Thursday morning removed the last obstacle in the way of issuance of the bonds. The City Council will meet in special session in the near future to act in accordance with the decision, and prepare to carry out the wishes of the voters expressed in the April 1 election.

AN ICE BOX ROBBERY COSTLY TO GEO. DYE

A hungry housebreaker gained entrance to the back door of the Dye Hotel Wednesday night or early Thursday morning and removed a side of sliced bacon, one boiled ham, and four bottles of milk from the refrigerator. Not content with the makings of a full meal, the prowler boldly entered the bed room in which Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dye were asleep, and removed a billfold containing between $15 and $20 in bills, and pocketed a first class Elgin watch and a pocket knife.

Mrs. Dye estimated the time of the visit as between 12 o'clock midnight and 3:00 o'clock Thursday morning. The police have no clues.

It is believed that the visitor used an apron worn by one of the dining room girls in which to wrap his loot. The apron was placed as usual behind the kitchen door. It was missing Thursday morning.

Whoever raided the ice box had plenty of nerve, the Dye family is convinced. A filling station operated in connection with the Hotel is open all night.

FRED JONES BUYS SOLE INTEREST IN GROCERY FIRM

The former Farris-Jones Grocery Company of this city will, in the future, be owned and managed by Fred Jones exclusively. A deal in which partners of Jones sold their interests in the business was closed last week, placing him in the position of sole owner.

Mr. Jones has been unable to attend to his duties this week, due to illness. He hopes, however, to be actively engaged within a week. In the meantime, the store is being managed by his wife.

BOWLING LEAGUE TO GET UNDERWAY HERE SEPT. 15

The organization meeting of the Sikeston Bowling League held last Tuesday night at the Heisler-Littleton parlors led to the formation of an eight-team league and a play schedule which will get underway next Monday night.

The schedule follows:

Monday, September 15—Scott Co. Milling Co. vs. Highway No. 2.

Tuesday, September 16.—Littletons vs. Shoe Factory.

Wednesday, September 17.—Merchants vs. Nu-Way Cleaning Co.

Friday, September 19.—Limbaugh Dentist vs. Highway No. 1.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING

A called meeting of the Board of Directors was held at the home of the President, Mrs. J. N. Ross, Wednesday afternoon.

The purpose of this meeting was to elect a chairman of social and program after the resignation of Mrs. Arch Russell had been accepted.

Mrs. C. C. White was elected to succeed Mrs. Russell. Mrs. Raymond Burns and Mrs. Russell will assist Mrs. White in compiling the year book which they hope to have completed the first meeting of the Club on the second Tuesday in October.

Ben Blanton, with the Public Service Commission at Jefferson City, arrived in Sikeston Tuesday afternoon to spend a couple of days with homefolks.

Joe Albright returned to Memphis to enter the fall term of West Tennessee State Teachers' College, after spending ten days with homefolks and friends.

CAPE NORMAL SCHOOL OPENS NEXT TUESDAY

The Southeast Missouri State Teachers' College will open its 57th session on Tuesday, September 16. This is freshman orientation day, set aside for the enrollment of freshmen only. The program will begin at 8 o'clock with an assembly followed by enrollment and a visit about the buildings and grounds of the institution. A group of upper classmen have volunteered to help to make this day worth while to all incoming freshmen. Wednesday, September 17 is the day for enrollment of upper classmen and first classes will be held Thursday, the 18th. From present indications, there will be one of the largest incoming classes in the history of the institution.

New members of the faculty are W. J. Hamilton, formerly of Fulton who will teach history; Miss Margaret Gordon of McAlister, Oklahoma, who will teach modern languages; Miss Harriet Ume Chaplin of St. Louis, teacher of physical education. During the leave of absence of John H. Gehrs, who is a candidate for the office of State superintendent of Schools, E. A. Rockefair, formerly of this institution and more recently at the University of Wisconsin will head the department of agriculture in place of Mr. Gehrs.

Coach George H. Flamank called his football material together for first practice, September 8. He was greatly encouraged at the squad that presented itself. He had nine letter men who with their experience will probably be the main strength of the team. Unfortunately, however, there are few back field men in this group and he will have to build up a back field with new material. Forty-six men presented themselves for uniforms the first call and indications are the squad will number 60 for the season. Coach Flamak will have the assistance and experience of Director of Athletic Courleux who has been the coach for so many years and for punting, C. P. Harris, director of athletics at the Training School. Harris was one of the best kickers the college ever developed. Within three weeks of the battle with Carbondale, it will be a task to whip this green material into shape. Many high school stars, however, are in the incoming class.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM NEW MADRID

Miss Dot Willis of Kennett was the guest of Miss Clara Standley, over the week-end.

Miss Geraldine DeLisle spent the week-end in Charleston, the guest of Miss Thelma Stanfill.

Otis Dowdy, employed on the new high school building, is spending the week at his home in Dexter.

E. S. White, accompanied by his brother, Glen White, both of the government fleet, motored to Cooter, Sunday and spent the day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. White.

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SIKESTON, MO.

George Boone, Herman Crisler and Bud LaFont attended the Malone Theatre in Sikeston Sunday evening.

Guy Haskins, Jr., was in New Madrid Tuesday morning looking after business matters at the Haskins Gin.

Charles Jackson, of the government fleet, is spending several days this week in Cairo, looking after business matters.

Misses Geraldine DeLisle and Clara Standley, motored to the former's home in Portageville Tuesday and spent the evening.

Wm. Milner of Newburn, Tenn., arrived this week to accept a position as bookkeeper in the cotton gin belonging to G. D. Haskins, of Malden.

Miss Vivian Boone left the latter part of the week for San Antonio, Texas to accompany home her two nephews, George and Dawson Boone, who spent the summer here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boone, and other relatives.

The speedboat, Baby Lee II, racing from New Orleans to St. Louis in an effort to beat the record made by Dr. LeRoy of Memphis, Tenn., in the Bogie, passed New Madrid and 11:55 a. m. Monday. It was thought to be traveling at a speed of about 30 miles per hour and did not stop here.

Among those who attended the boat excursion at Caruthersville Friday from New Madrid were: Misses Agnes Hunter, Mildred Fields, Alice Berryman, Pansy Harris, Aileen LaFont and Charles Jackson, Ed White, Harmon Estham, Ted Eisan, Evans Copeland and Herman Crisler.

Mrs. Robert Cheshire, who has spent the past month here with her husband, who is employed with the government, left for her home in Memphis, Tenn., Sunday. She was accompanied by her husband, who will remain in Memphis for several days before returning to his work here.

Miss Clara Standley, graduate nurse, has been sent to the County Health Department by the State Board of Health for a period of four months to assist the permanent nurse, Miss Clara Drinkwater. One thousand typhoid vaccinations were made by the Health Department during the month of August.

NAZARENS CLOSE THREE-WEEK REVIVAL AT MATTHEWS

Rev. S. W. Mainord of Cape Girardeau closed a successful Nazarene revival series at Matthews this week. The meetings have been conducted regularly for the past three weeks and led to forty-three conversions.

NEW MADRID COUNTY REAL ESTATE NEWS

D. L. Poplin and R. T. Poplin to W. E. Patten: E½ 34-22-13. $1.

Franklin American Trust Co. to Effie Waters and L. D. Waters: Lots 1-4, blk. 3; also lots 3-4, blk. 2, Matthews 1st add. to Matthews. $1.

Roscoe Weltecke and Hazel Weltecke to S. H. Hampton: Lot 15, rng. B, City of Lilbourn. $1.

A. O. Allen and Maude Allen to Mrs. Annie Wright: E part of lot 9, blk. 15, Morehouse. $100.

Roy E. Lucas and Cecil N. Lucas to E, containing 80 acres: Also 232.82a Robt. W. Stokes: S½ lot 1, 19-23-11 19-23-11, East, $400.

Marriage License

Charles W. Overall and Irene Dossett, both of New Madrid.

Billy Malone and Charles Allen Cook will entertain their dancing club at the Hotel Marshall this Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Layton and Miss Greer of Morehouse were visitors at the G. J. Layton home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Wallace Applegate and mother, Mrs. Emma Kendall and Mrs. Ella Old drove to Commerce Wednesday and visited relatives.

Mrs. Lute Jackson and daughter, Miss Vivian, Miss Lucille Finley, Joe Fennimore and Harry Thomason spent the week-end in Memphis.

The many friends of Mrs. Annie Winchester will be pleased to hear that she is much improved. Mrs. Winchester has been quite sick at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Stokes, at Mayfield, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson were delightfully surprised Tuesday evening, when 12 couples arrived with well filled baskets and gave them a house warming in their new home. A very enjoyable time was had by those present.

Mrs. O. T. Elder accompanied the dance class to Charleston Thursday following members of Miss Ryker's to take part in an entertainment given for the teachers: The Marshall sisters, Isabell and Helen, Mary Emma Powell, Lillian Rita Derris, Esther Jane Greer, Emily Blanton, Margaret Bowman, Mary Boyer and Helen Vera Dudley.

DR. SPENCER AT THE FIRST BAPTIST SUNDAY

Dr. Lee B. Spencer of Shawnee, Okla., will preach at both services at the First Baptist church of this city next Sunday. Dr. Spencer is familiar with religious conditions in the South and will have many interesting and important things to tell the people of Sikeston at these services. His morning theme will be "What Is Your Life?" He will be governed at the morning hour as to just what subject to discuss at the evening hour. He hopes for a large congregation, and extends a cordial invitation to all whose duty does not call them elsewhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Helm of St. Louis spent the week-end with Judge Carroll and family.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Spalding, who was the guest of Mrs. Charles D. Matthews III, left for Kentucky, Sunday, where she will visit before going to Northwestern University at Evanston, Ill.

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C. E. Felker, County Treasurer, is back from California, where he went to accompany his family back to Sikeston. Mrs. Felker and the children have spent the summer in that State.

Weeks Theatre

Dexter, Missouri

SUNDAY, MONDAY, SEPT. 14-15

Matine 2:30 p. m. Night 7:30 p. m.

Admission 15c and 35c

Joan Crawford in "THE BLUSHING BIDES" if you like Joan don't miss this picture. She's better than ever. NEWS and ACT

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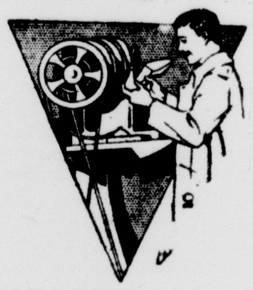
George O'Brien in "LAST OF THE DUANES". Now running at Fox Theatre. Also Talking Comedy—"HO TDOG" & Cartoon—"AN OLD PLANE. Adm. 10c and 25c



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Sikeston, Mo.

Mrs. Ted Martin returned Wednesday from Poplar Bluff, where she visited with her sister, Mrs. Fred Forby.

Mrs. Stewart McNair of Chicago is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Lillie McGee at Kewanee. Mrs. McNair was formerly Miss Corinne McGee.

Lyman Bowman was a business visitor to New Orleans, La., this week.

Mrs. Dora Montgomery will join her mother and sister in St. Louis Friday and then go to Toledo, Ohio to visit a sister. Mrs. Montgomery will be out of the city for a week.

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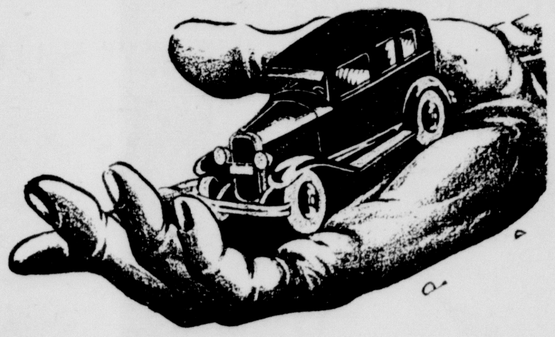
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SIKESTON STANDARD

C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

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The Supreme Court of Missouri Thursday morning upheld the popular verdict expressed six months ago by Sikeston in the matter of the municipal light plant bonds. The legal tangle as to what is a vote was finally unraveled and Sikeston stands ready to proceed barring unforseen legal technicalities which may or may not be thrown in the way of early completion of the plant.

According to Mayor N. E. Fuchs, the City Council will be called to meet Monday night to take action in the matter and to start the ball rolling. Sikeston has waited long and patiently for the legal phase of the proposition to clear up. The City as far as its elected representatives are concerned, is now ready to act.

It might be well to mention at this point that it seems improbable that the tax levy recently passed to raise funds to pay accumulated interest on the bond issue WILL BE COLLECTED. **It will not be necessary.**

Under the terms of the contract, the bonding company purchasing the issue will pay all interest from the date of the bonds to the time when actual cash is transferred to the City's checking account here. In that case the first interest period will have passed, and local tax payers will have escaped the first bogyman so carefully outlined by opponents of the proposition. In any event only a fraction of the original amount would have to be collected, covering the interest bearing period from the present until the first of next year, and that is improbable, also.

We can think of no reason why the City plant cannot be in operation six months from today, and why, incidently the next interest payment on bonds cannot be made out of revenue of the plant, as promised when the issue came up for consideration this spring.

Members of the Council are considering at this time a proposed rejection of the first bid on the bonds in favor of a second offer which will in round figures net the City $27,000. In this disconnected sketch of the proposition, we also mention the hope that the City Council will soon enter into communication with engineering firms so that bids for the plant can be advertised, and actual construction work started this fall. Labor will not be an item to be discarded with a shrug of the shoulders, and we voice the sentiment of the man on the street, we believe, by urging that whenever possible local labor be employed in construction work on the plant and distributing system. Many of the "yes" votes for the plant came from the boys who wear blue chambray shirts and overalls, and out of fairness to them, we suggest that they be given an opportunity to work if they so desire.

Quite naturally we feel elated over the Supreme Court decision. In choosing sides over this moot question, The Standard assumed the view that Sikeston would be materially benefited by owning and manging its own plant; that it could better afford a white way, and maintain to better advantage and lower net operating cost, its own distributing and street lighting system. This publication maintained and now maintains, lest their be any doubt, that the City will in the long run, save money with a municipally owned and operated plant We have confidence in the City Council and in civic leaders to the extent of entrusting the expenditure of $150,000 for this plant, and to the extent of finding capable and honest men to operate the plant once it is in operation.

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In court at Jackson, Wednesday, Isom Welker, 24, a shoe factory worker of Cape Girardeau, pleaded guilty to a charge of driving an automobile while intoxicated and was sentenced by Judge Kelly to serve two years in the State penitentiary. This sort of medicine should cure drunken drivers. Congratulations to Judge Kelly.

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The South no sooner gets rid of Cole Bease, a representative in the United States Senate from South Carolina, a blatherskite of the first water, than in jumps Gov. Huey Long of Louisiana, a rough neck, who defeated Senator Ransdall, a high protection Democrat, who, at least, is a gentleman. We are hoping that Tom Heflin will be snowed under at the November election. He is a disgrace to any section of the United States. It may be, though, that some other roughneck will "get" Long before he enters the Senate.

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Prices count, and it will pay to read every advertisement carried in The Standard this issue. A penny means little, but several of them will buy a loaf of bread.

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Senator Pat Harrison of Mississippi will speak at Springfield, Mo., Saturday, September 20, according to a telegram received by Miss Catherine Blanton Thursday forenoon. Mrs. Harrison is with him and they expect to return by Sikeston and pick up Catherine and take her with them to Mississippi.

Mrs. Everett Hall of Bible Grove, Ill., is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Coleman and family.

Midshipman Robert M. Wilbur (Bob), who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilbur, for the past ten days, left Wednesday morning for Plant City, Fla., where he will visit his sisters, Mesdames L. J. Prosser, Jr., and M. P. Clark, for the rest of his September leave, returning to the U. S. Naval Academy September 26. Bob has completed three years' studies at the Naval Academy and will graduate next June.

VISITOR TO ITALY ENTERTAINS LIONS

Miss Geneva Drinkwater of Charleston, University of Chicago graduate and student during post-graduate days in Italy last year, entertained the local Lions Club at the weekly luncheon meeting Thursday.

Miss Drinkwater talked for nearly forty-five minutes and in an informal, friendly and impartial discussion reviewed the rise of Mussuloni to power in Italy. She described with some emphasis upon detail actual governmental conditions, and life as such under the regime of the Facisti.

Those who dream of youthful revolt and of sudden rise to prominence would have enjoyed Miss Drinkwater's treatment of Mussuloni. Eight years ago the young Italian was practically unknown. During the war he received the personal congratulation of the king of Italy for bravery. Mussuloni was a newspaper reporter, and before he accepted the plaudits of his king informed this high personage of his socialistic ideals. He was congratulated nevertheless.

A few years later he assumed the dictatorship of Italy and is now the unquestioned ruler. The king still exists also, but he is practically shorn of political power.

All of the known tricks of leadership are known to and used by Mussuloni, the Lions and guests were informed.

Followers of the Mussuloni regime have a uniform, a salute, a password and a badge. Each recruit swears a solemn oath of allegiance. It is power built upon youth.

Governmental interference with or control of every phase of life in Italy was mentioned. Economically, politically and socially there is governmental regulation. A truce exists with reference to the Pope and matters religious, but nearly every other phase of life comes under the regulatory eye of the government. The press is censored, as are all private sources of communication; industry is regulated; youth is trained; education supervised.

Miss Drinkwater gave her views to the assembly as would a student of Italian affairs and not as one bent upon criticising or condemning. It was a most profitable lecture in the estimation of the Club and the expressed sentiment of Lion President, Lee Bowman.

CONTINENTAL CO. TO BUILD STATION

The contract for construction a modern service station for the Continental Oil Company was awarded Wednesday afternoon to Roscoe Weltecke, building contractor of this city. Mr. Weltecke's office informs us that actual work on the project was scheduled to begin Friday morning. The lot is located on Kingshighway adjacent to the Faultless Cleaners plant in the Del Rey Building.

The Continental Company recently completed a modern wholesale storage plant near the Frisco Station, and with the completion of the outlet plant uptown will enter the retail distributing business in Sikeston. The service station proper will be 15x22 feet, and will be modern in every detail.

Mrs. H. E. Blackburn of Poplar Bluff is spending the week with Mrs. Ed Albright.

FOR SALE—Pipeless furnace, good condition. Reasonable. Call 385.

INVITE PROMINENT LEGIONNAIRES HERE

Among the prominent Legionnaires of Missouri invited to attend a banquet of welcome for the new State Commander, H. C. Blanton, scheduled for next Wednesday night at the Hotel Marshall are: Grant Frye, district commander of Cape Girardeau, H. H. Lark of Steeleville, P. J. Robinette of Hartville, Jack Hammonds of Cape Girardeau and Vic Drum of Columbia.

The local Legion Post together with members of the Auxiliary and their husbands will be sponsors of the banquet here. Besides being an official welcome for the newly elected State Commander, the meeting will also be concerned with the work of election of officers to carry on the work next year. Legion members are elated over the high honor recently bestowed upon the Sikeston Post through the election of one of their members to the highest position in the State organization, and therefore, are convinced that the coming Legion year will be a banner year in the local organization.

The banquet meeting will begin at 7 o'clock in the Hotel Marshall dining room.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Whereas, Alf Carr and Ethel Carr, his wife, by their certain deed of trust, dated the 2d day of February, 1930, and recorded in Trust Deed record book 59 at page 157, being one of the land records of Scott County, Missouri, conveyed to M. G. Gresham, the undersigned trustee, all their interest in and to the following described real estate situate, lying and being in the County of Scott and State of Missouri, to-wit:

All of lot Numbered Fifteen (15) in Block Numbered Thirteen (13) in the Chamber of Commerce Addition to the City of Sikeston, in Scott County, Missouri.

Also

All of Lot Numbered Nine (9) in Block Numbered Eighteen (18) in the Chamber of Commerce Addition to the City of Sikeston, in Scott County, Missouri.

Which said conveyance was made to secure the payment of a certain promissory note therein particularly described, and whereas, said note is past due and unpaid, now, therefore, I, at the request of the legal holder of said note and in accordance with the provisions and stipulations of said deed of trust, and by virtue of the authority vested in me by said deed as trustee, hereby give notice that I will on

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3rd, 1930

at the North City Hall door in the town of Sikeston, in the County of Scott, in the State of Missouri, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the above described real estate, for the purpose of paying said note, interest and costs.

Given under my hand this 12th day of September, 1930.

M. G. GRESHAM,
Trustee.

Pub. Sept. 12-19-26, Oct. 3.

5 GAMES ON BULLDOG HOME SCHEDULE

The 1931 grid schedule for the Sikeston High School was announced today by Coach M. C. Cunningham.

OCTOBER—
2—Caruthersville, here.
10—Charleston, here.
17—Chaffee, there.
24—Poplar Bluff, here.
31—Malden, there.

NOVEMBER—
7—Doniphan, here.
15—Cairo, here.
Thanksgiving—Charleston, there.

Twenty-five candidates for positions on the squad are coming out regularly for practice. While the Bulldogs lost several old heads last year through graduation, the lads who will buck the line and fill backfield positions are for the most part experienced.

Cunningham will again place his confidence in a pony backfield and on fast clicking plays.



A GOOD Prescription

Many are the dangers of colds from over-heated or underheated rooms; malaria and other infections from bad water; headaches from coal, gas, etc. Your plumber can correct all these by rectifying at the source. We want to be your plumber, and we will be, if you give us the first trial.

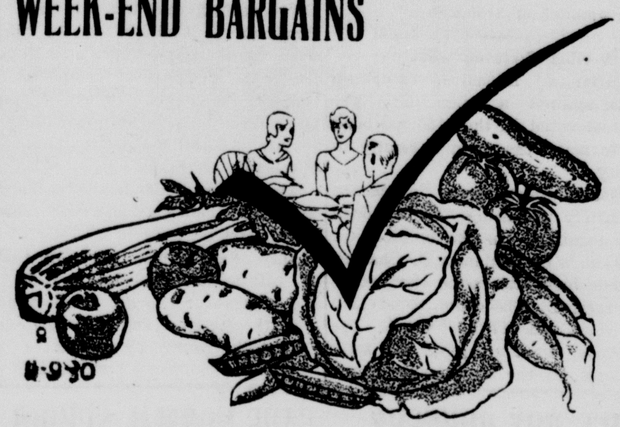
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Cabbage 4 lb. 15c
Corn Roasting Ears per dozen 30c
HEAD LETTUCE per pound 15c
RIPE TOMATOES 3 lbs. 20c
CUCUMBERS Crisp and tender 3 for 10c
MANGO PEPPERS, Mammoth 3 for 10c
CELERY fancy bleached 3 stalks 25c
Carrotts per bunch 7c
Cantaloupes 3 for 20c

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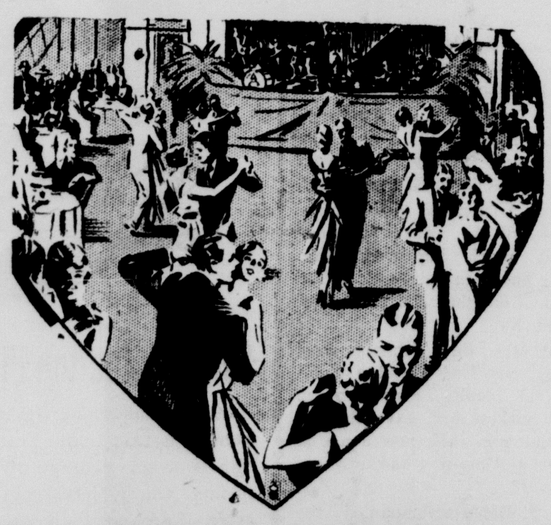
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM CHARLESTON

Funeral services were held here Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the First Methodist Church for Mrs. Minnie F. Mitchell, aged 58 years, wife of W. D. Mitchell, owner and manager of the Mitchell Hotel of this city, who died Monday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, at the hotel, following a lingering illness due to cancer.

The deceased was born April 14, 1872 in Webster County, Ky.

In 1891 she was united in marriage to Alexander Wilson, who died three years later. To this union one child was born, a daughter, Mrs. Flora Lemon, who survives.

On November 18, 1921, she was united in marriage to W. D. Mitchell.

Surviving Mrs. Mitchell are her husband, her daughter and two grandchildren, Kathryn and Ivan, Lemon of this city and one brother, E. B. Shelton of Maxwell, New Mexico.

Rev. E. H. Orear conducted the services. Interment was made in Oak Grove Cemetery. Lair Company in charge.

The public schools of this city opened Monday, September 8, under the supervision of Supt. A. D. Simpson. The high school, with Prof. John Harris Marshall as principal, has an enrollment of 210.

The Eugene Field school, with Miss Mable Roberts, principal, has 315 pupils.

The West End school, with Miss Elizabeth Burns as principal, has 120 pupils. Total enrollment is 645.

There are still other pupils who have not yet enrolled.

Sheldon Gentry and Lindsay E. Brown, Jr., have gone to Columbia, where they will enter the University for the winter.

The Kiwanis Club met Monday at the Baptist Service Hall for their regular weekly meeting and six o'clock dinner. Fred and George Naeter, Bob Lampkin and Harry Burdman of Cape Girardeau were guests of the Club. Fred Naeter, who is a member of the Missouri Survey Commission, gave a most interesting talk on that subject. There was a large attendance of the membership.

Miss Vera Largent, who has been the guest of Miss Geneva Drinkwater left Monday for her home in Greensboro, N. C.

Leonard Bryant and Clack Golliday have gone to Murray, Ky., to attend college this winter.

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Humphrey and Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Chron of Cape Girrardeau and Mrs. Demit Chron of Memphis, Tenn., were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Lash.

Mrs. George E. McFadden and daughter, Miss Kathleen, and Glenn Hutson of this city and Mr. and Mrs. William Tinnell of Poplar Bluff left Tuesday for a motor trip to Kirksville.

Edward Taylor has returned from a visit in Memphis, Tenn.

M. H. Wigdor is spending the week in St. Louis.

Mrs. Paul B. Moore and daughters, Misses Margaret and Joella and Paul Handy Moore have returned from a visit in St. Louis.

THIS WEEK IN MO. HISTORY

(Floyd C. Shoemaker, Sec'y.)

The famous duel between Abiel Leonard and Major Taylor Berry was fought on an island in the Mississippi river, near New Madrid, 106 years ago this week.

Abiel Leonard, after a judge in the Supreme Court of Missouri, was at that time a young lawyer of Howard County, recently appointed State's attorney for his judicial district. He had come to Franklin in 1819 from the East, being a Vermonter by birth, and had already made for himself a recognized place in the bar of Central Missouri. His New England origin set him apart somewhat from the other residents of the community, and it is recorded that he was sometimes referred to as "that Yankee".

Major Berry was a Kentuckian of Virginia parentage who had distinguished himself somewhat in the War of 1812. It is recorded that he was paymaster in the Army, and when General Hull surrendered at Detroit, he saved the public funds by concealing them on his own person and the persons of other officers. In 1815, it appears from a notice in the Missouri Gazette, he was a major in the line, and deputy quartermaster-general for Missouri. The notice refered to, signed by Joseph Charless, was in reply to a handbill circulated by Major Berry, taking the editor to task for "disrespectful remarks" published in the Gazette. Charless' promise thereafter to refer to the major as "Major Taylor Berry, Deputy Quartermaster-General" when "recording any of his achievements in the future" sheds about the only light there is on the contents of Berry's handbill, for it has not been preserved.

Major Berry, the son of Washington and Alice Taylor Berry, married Miss Frances Christy of St. Louis, daughter of Major William Christy, an early American settler of means and influence. Louis Houck writes that "after the close of the war, Berry settled in Franklin. Here in 1823 he was appointed postmaster....." Some accounts call Berry a lawyer, while others refer to him as "a wealthy and influential citizen of Howard county, a man of extensive possessions, a land speculator, who was then dealing in what was known as New Madrid claims. These claims, intended for the relief of New Madrid earthquake victims, were a source of fraud in those days by speculators who bought up the ruined land before the actual sufferers knew of their issue by Congress. Major Berry's connection with them is not clearly established.

The trouble between Leonard and Berry started over a lawsuit at Fayette, in which Leonard was an attorney, and Berry was either an opposing attorney or an interested party. Berry attacked Leonard after court, using a whip, it is said, and the "Yankee" challenged him. The challenge surprised many who doubted Leonard would fight, the more so because of its brief wording, which gave Berry not even the alternative of an apology.

There is some evidence that Berry would have wished another end to the matter. He at least caused delay in its termination. Thomas J. Boggs and Angus Langham, as seconds, arranged the terms, and the time was set for September 1, 1814. The place was "at some point, either in Kentucky, Tennessee, or Arkansas, which shall be most convenient to the town of New Madrid...." Some say Wolf Island was chosen, but Houck writes that another island nearby was the scene.

Leonard was put under bond to keep the peace and only escaped arrest in St. Louis on his way to the island through being impersonated by his second. It took two weeks to go from Howard County to New Madrid by horse.

At 4 p. m., September 1, the parties met. Leonard grazed Berry at the first fire, and, agreement failing, a second fire was taken. Berry was badly wounded, but recovered for a time at New Madrid, until he contracted a cold which caused his death. It is said he wrote a cheerful letter to his wife, who had remained in Howard County, and was for a time able to attend to some business he had in New Madrid.

Leonard returned to Howard county. He was disbarred under the Missouri law against dueling, but was reinstated by a special act of the Legislature soon afterward. He rose to prominence at the bar of central Missouri, which was then the most flourishing in the State outside St. Louis, and later served both in the Legislature and on the Supreme Court of Missouri.

Unionville—Log Cabin Service Station on East Main Street purchased by Morgan Oil Co.

Bowling Green grants 20-year franchise to C. Rhodes Hood, who will organize company to distribute natural gas.



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DUTIES OF WEIGHT OFFICER IN DIVISION 10 EXPLAINED

The State Highway Commission recently increased the number of Weight Officers to fifteen—one of these being assigned to Division 10 which is comprised of Bollinger, Butler, Cape Girardeau, Dunklin, Madison, Mississippi, New Madrid, Pemiscot, Ripley, Scott, Stoddard and Wayne Counties.

The duties of this officer are confined to the enforcement of the motor vehicle laws, such as over-widths, over-lengths, overweights, speeding of heavy trucks, delinquent licenses, split licenses, operating motor vehicles with one license plate, no tail lights, defective head lights and other offenses of this nature.

The patrolman will operate in full uniform and carry with him a set of portable hydraulic scales in order that loads may be weighed on the road.

It has been found, in some of the out-lying sections of Missouri, that operators of trucks are not familiar with motor vehicle laws and it will be the duties of the patrolman to explain to the operators, or owners, of the trucks how to determine the rated capacity of their trucks to comply with the law.

The duties of the patrolman are to be of an educational nature, familiarinzing the motoring public with the motor vehicle laws. However, where offenses have been committed maliciously, or where the owner or operator of the motor vehicle refuses to heed the patrolman's warning, prosecution will follow.

C. E. Weekley, who has been an employee of the Highway Department for some time, will operate in Division 10 as Traffic Officer, with headquarters at the Division office in Sikeston.

URGE PAVEMENT OF HIGHWAY 60

Poplar Bluff, September 9.—Advocating immediate paving of Highway No. 60 from Poplar Bluff to Springfield, the U. S. Highway No. 60 Association in session of Mountain Grove yesterday, sent resolutions to the State Highway Commission of Missouri.

Delegates from several States attended the meeting.

It was brought out in the resolutions and in addresses to the delegation that Highway 60 is the only cross-State road south of St. Louis and should receive immediate attention of the highway department.

Poplar Bluffians, for some months, have been advocating pavement of Highway 67 from the Arkansas-Missouri line south to Fredericktown, as the connecting link for the Arkansas highway, the pavement north of Fredericktown.

Local citizens are contending that due to failure of the highway association to complete work on Highway 67, much business from this section, which is due St. Louis, is going to Memphis, Tenn. The St. Louis Chamber of Commerce is expected to cooperate with local business interests in urging pavement of this road at the earliest possible date.—American Republic.

One of the largest construction jobs ever undertaken in Missouri by a private company has just been completed when two giant trenching machines working from the east and west borders of the State met at Midway, Mo., thus finishing a 250-mile conduit trench for the 750,000 cable of the Bell Telephone Company.

MISTAKES DYNAMITE CAPS FOR MARBLES: DOCTORS MAY REMOVE HAND OF LAD, 13

Cape Girardeau, September 8.—Charles Frymire, 13, of near Grassy, finding a box which rattled as if it contained marbles, hammered it on a rock to open it. He is now being treated at a hospital here, his right hand being so badly lacerated that it may be necessary to amputate it.

The box contained dynamite caps which exploded as the box was being hammered against the rock, blowing off two fingers on the boy's right hand, and the ends of two fingers on his left hand.

Further injuries were sustained on the boy's face which was burned.

The National Old Trails Road had its beginning in the effort to build a great national highway stretching from the Atlantic Coast westward to the Mississippi River. The trail across Missouri surveyed by Daniel Boone and his two sons Nathan and Daniel, from St. Charles to Franklin, then became a part of the National Old Trails and is so marked at intervals across the State.



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LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MATTHEWS

Schools Have Record Enrollment

Matthews school opened Monday, September 1. Due to it being Labor Day, actual work was started Tuesday with the following teachers: Supt. G. D. Englehart, Principal Statler, of Oak Ridge; Miller of Kentucky; Audrey Barry, Cape Girardeau; Claribel Canoy, Warrensburg; 7-8 grades, B. B. Conrad, Marble Hill, 5-6 grade, Verna King, Matthews; 3-4 grades, Mrs. Thelma Story, Cape Girardeau; 1-2 Thelma Gruen, Canalou; Primary, Mrs. Lillie Zimmer, Matthews. Teachers in the rural school in Matthews Consolidation are: Crowe, George Proffer; White Oak No. 1, Donald Story; Pharris Ridge, William Deane; Noxall, Vada Branstetter; Warner, Frankie Deane; Canoy, Ellis Reed and Willa D. Alsup. The enrollment is the largest that the Matthews schools have ever had. Matthews has very little to boast of but it can with all truth boast of its wonderful school and the fine buildings. We can say the progress of this school is due to our worthy Supt. G. D. Engehart, who has devoted his time for the improvement of our school system and school building for the past four years.

Clifford Reed returned Friday from Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. Thso. Holderby shopped in Sikeston Monday.

Miss Adeline Depro spent Sunday with Miss Ethyl Dunn.

Miss Nota Watkins of Hayti spent the week-end here with friends.

Miss Helen Waters was the dinner guest of Miss Felice Ball, Sunday.

Mesdames Ben Sells and Malcolm Ratcliff shopped in Sikeston Monday.

Mrs. Dickerman of the Crowe District visited with Mrs. Donald Story, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Kerr of New Madrid were Matthews visitors, Sunday.

A big baptising was held at the east ditch Sunday. About fifty people were baptized.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ball and daughters, Misses Lucille and Felice, were Sikeston visitors Saturday.

Miss Glenda Waters, who is principal at the school, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Waters.

Miss Irene Sutton left Monday for St. Louis, after spending the summer here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunlap and babe of Sarsas, Miss., were guests of the former's father, W. M. Dunlap, several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roe Hill, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Critchlow, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Critchlow and Mrs. Thelma Caldwell enjoyed a fishing trip and picnic at Knott bridge, Friday.

William Roberts left Saturday night for Fayette, where he will enter Central College. His many friends will miss him, but still are proud of the wonderful opportunities that are his. Our best wishes are for him.

Misses Glenda and Helen Waters entertained the C. E. Friday night with a lawn party. A most enjoyable evening was spent by the young folks. At the conclusion of the evening gaities, refreshments were served to about thirty guests.

Virgil Ball, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Ball, is very sick with typhoid fever. This is the third member in this family to have had this fever in the past month. Two other children, Millie and Billie, are able to be up. Dr. G. W. Presnell of Sikeston, has the cases in charges and it is safe to say Virgil will soon be up.

$1 FARM BOARD WHEAT PURCHASED IN BUTLER

Poplar Bluff, September 9.—A carload of wheat ordered last week from the Federal Farm Board by the Butler County Farm Bureau, today was at the railroad yards here and was being distributed among farmers at $1 per bushel.

The car arrived last night and notices were sent out today by the Farm Bureau and County Agent F. H. Darnall, to farmers whom they believed would be interested.

The car contains 1100 bushels. The wheat will be distributed to farmers at cost, and it may be possible that a rebate will be given them, Darnall said. It depends entirely, however, on final checkup of the cost of the wheat.

The Federal Farm Board recognizes farm bureaus through which that board deals with the farmer in handling relief in drouth districts.

Whether another shipment of wheat will be ordered remains to be decided, Darnall said. It depends on the demand for this feed for winter use.

Not a Friend To Talk To

"Isn't business rotten?" he said to Mr. A. "No, it's fine", replied A. "Isn't business rotten?" he asked Mr. B. "No, it's fine", replied Mr. B. Then he met C. D and E; asked each one whether business wasn't rotten, and each one told him it was fine. Having spent the whole morning trying to find someone to cry with him, he finally called it a day, went home, and spent the afternoon in the cellar washing bottles.—Spinal Columns.

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Grind up the end of the roast, adding a raw onion and a green pepper and finaly a crust of bread. Season with salt, pepper and a little ground mace. Mix into this one cup of cream sauce and pour into a buttered casserole. Sprinkle the top with bread crumbs and bake in a moderate oven until brown.

DONATIONS POUR IN FOR NEW SIKESTON CHURCH

The new Sikeston church for working people all over the world, of which Elder John B. Huffman, Chairman of the Pentecostal Church of God, will be the pastor without any salary—just voluntary tithes and free will offerings—is rapidly taking shape in a financial way.

The first contributor to the building fund was Lyle Malone, one of our enterprising citizens who always comes forward to assist a worthy cause. Contributions are now coming in from various parties. We expect donations from several hundred people, but many of them will come from parties outside the city, county and State. Although we have already one contributor of one hundred dollars, we expect to obtain larger donations. But the smallest offering will be received and gratefully acknowledged.

Those who have heard him preach well know that Elder Huffman does not fight any denomination. Good common sense should convince anyone of that fact. We have had representatives of 25 different denominations in our meetings at one time and all were treated with the same courtesy. Every denomination has a right to its own religious views. So, we maintain our own rights when we preach and teach all the Bible and believe it all. Have had ministers of many denominations attend our Bible school.

If we should receive enough money from people all over the United States, we will erect another building and equip it with beds where worthy and destitute men and women, folks out of employment and widows and orphans, can obtain free lodging. Christian man and wife to be overseers of this building. We do the same kind of work rendered by the Salvation Army, only do not receive but a small portion of the money they get. All contributions are obtained from members and from congregation for those in need. We had charge of a church in Minneapolis, Minn., for a time where many unfortunate folks were given free beds and free meals.

Elder Huffman occupies the same position as a Bishop of the Methodist church. Has many churches all over the United States under his direct control and could obtain enough money from them to build a new church or furnish the money himself, but prefers to let the people apply funds for such a worthy cause.

This will be a church for working people, but the most wealthy and refined are cordially invited and urged to attend. We always have a lot of the most prominent people in the State present at our meetings.

We are now ready to receive offerings on the new Sikeston church. Anyone who wants to make a donation can hand it to him or send money direct to Elder John B. Huffman, Box 476, Sikeston. He will put the money in the bank to be used only for the building fund and will give an account of every cent received and expended. A receipt will be given all donors who desire it. The pastor will also make a donation.

The writer may sometime in the future, make requisition on a number of his churches in the Nation for enough money to build a small factory to furnish employment for a number of men and women.

I want especially to thank The Sikeston Standard for so freely donating space to make our church announcements. We will return the favor later on in patronage and printing.

Elder Huffman will preach in front of Sterling's Store again next Saturday afternoon, commencing at 2:30. Everybody invited to hear him. Come and bring the children with you.

I take full responsibility for the articles I have written the past few weeks appearing in this paper. I sign my name to all of them.—John B. Huffman.

WADE TUCKER'S RESIDENCE DESTROYED BY FIRE

At about two o'clock last Sunday morning, parties passing the Wade Tucker residence in the northwest part of the city noticed that it was on fire. They rushed to the house and aroused Mr. Tucker, who barely had time to escape with a portion of his clothing which he grabbed up as he fled from the building.

Mr. Tucker again entered the building and was able to turn in the fire alarm, but by the time the fire department arrived the entire building was ablaze and was soon reduced to ashes. When the fire was discovered the entire rear and south side of the building was ablaze, which failed to arouse Mr. Tucker, who was sleeping in the northeast room of the building. Mrs. Tucker and children were not at home as they were visiting relatives in Tennessee at the time.

This was one of the oldest residences in the city, it formerly being the home of the late R. J. Waters. Mr. Tucker purchased the residence several years ago and spent a lot of money modernizing the home, which he rented when he moved to Sikeston to make his home. Several months ago he decided to move back to New Madrid and had just had the residence redecorated, spending several hundred dollars. The home was elegantly furnished and as nothing was saved, will be a heavy loss to Mr. Tucker.

Insurance was carried on the house and furniture, which will partially take care of the loss sustained. Mr. Tucker informs us that he intends to rebuild as soon as possible. —New Madrid Record.

FIVE MISSOURI TOWNS VOTE FOR NATURAL GAS FRANCHISE

Columbia, September 5.—Voters at Hallsville today ratified a grant for a natural gas franchise to the Missouri Power & Light Co. for a 20-year period. The Hallsville election was the final one of the week with Farber, Wellsville, Laddonia and Sturgeon successively approving the franchise to date. Farber cast its ballots in favor 76 to 4, Wellsville 410 to 61, Laddonia 165 to 5, Sturgeon at yesterday's election, 220 to 2.

The Missouri Power and Light Co. has contracts with the Missouri Kansas Pipe Line Co. Now building natural gas line from Texas Panhandle to Kansas, Missouri, Illinois and Indiana to serve towns and cities in its territory.

Chillicothe—Skelley Oil Co. will erect service station on site of old Gord Brown livery barn.

"Always break your burnt matches in two and cover campfires with earth", advises Martin A. Lewis, Jr., chief of Missouri's parks and refuges, "and forest fires will not be started". Park and refuge men in the employe of the Missouri Game and Fish Department are using all possible precaution to see that no disastrous fires are started on the State holdings this season. Only small blazes on three of the State parks have been reported this year against twenty-five on eight parks in 1929.

DUCK SEASON WILL BE OPEN IN MISSOURI FROM SEPTEMBER 24 TO JANUARY 7

The 1930 season for hunting wild geese, brand ducks, coots, snipe, rail and other waterfowl will open in Missouri at 5:28 o'clock the morning of September 24 and will continue until January 7. The same laws regulating hunting which prevailed last year are in effect again this season. Shooting may begin one-half hour before sunrise and must cease at sunset.

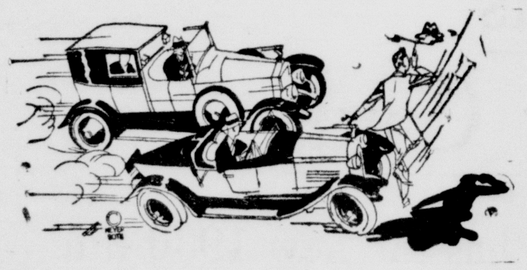
That duck hunters may not violate the duck hunting laws regarding the hours for shooting a sun-rise and sun-set table has been prepared by the Game and Fish Department. Each game warden will be supplied with one of the tables and hunters desiring a copy of this chart may procure it from the Game and Fish Department.

While few ducks have remained in Missouri throughout the summer owing to the drought the Northern States report many large flocks in the marshes. The first cold weather will start these birds southward and because of the scarcity of water in many tules and marshes in the State, it is expected that they will follow the larger river routes including the Missouri, Mississippi and Grand Rivers in their migration over Missouri.

Ozark—Riverside Inn renovated and opened to public.

The best way to remove the feathers from wild ducks is to dip the ducks in boiling water and then wrap in a heavy cloth. The steam will soon loosen the feathers and the "pins" are very little trouble.

If You're After Pedestrians---



It's really not a bit sporting to resort to camouflage in your driving. If your car blends with the dull, drab, dirty background you've an unfair advantage in low visability that smart folks today deem below them. The preference is for gleaming brightness that show the sparkle of brilliant and handsome colors and lines that your car rightly boasts. Folks now-a-days like to keep their cars gleamingly clean every second of the day. They know it makes newness last longer—makes their car worth more. And they know it's easy, inexpensive and perfect when our methods do the job.

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Chambray — A very strong shirting material, in solid colors or popular stripes. Greener's low price 10c

36-Inch Prints — Beautiful patterns, 35 in. wide. A fabric that we have always formerly sold for 15c. New low price 10c

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Gingham — For aprons, dresses, or quilt backs. 27 inches wide. A wide choice of patterns. Special 5c

36-Inch Outing — Solid colors and patterns, 36 inch, heavy weight and with a heavy nap. Greener's low price 19c

Indian Head Prints — This makes perfect dresses, etc., for fall wear. 36 inches wide, in fast colors. Special 39c

Women's Jersey Bloomers — Regular size bloomers, of cotton jersey, in all colors. This is a kind usually sold for 39c. Special 25c

Child's Jersey Bloomers — Another typical Greener bargain. Children's sizes in good jersey bloomers, special while they last, only 10c

Part Wool Hose — For cool weather these give worlds of comfort at no sacrifice of beauty. Several colors, only 49c

Ribbed Hose — Women's hose in ribbed effects in gray or tan shades. A very serviceable and comfortable hose at 19c

Children's Rib Hose — Wide rib, long hose, that are especially good for school wear. In peach, biege and gray. Greener's special price 19c

FLANNEL SHIRTS — Grey or brown. These shirts are the same as the $1.00 shirt we sold last fall. Buy them now at this low price. 75c

White Cups and Saucers — Heavy white imported ware, big size. A 10c value that the new tariff makes it impossible to dupicate. Special, a set 50c Set

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SIKESTON HEARS FIRST AIRPLANE TRIAL WEDNESDAY MORNING, CASE IS DISMISSED

"After all your evidence, Mr. Attorney," quoth the judge at Sikeston's first airplane trial, "you have not placed Mr. McMullin, the defendant, in the plane. Case dismissed."

So ended the trial in Judge Myers' court Wednesday morning in which the city's ordinance prohibiting flying at a height less than 1000 feet made its debut..

The case developed out of a John Doe warrant issued Thursday evening on information supplied by Pat Noonan. Dozens of city dwellers, however, had stood open mouthed gaping at the daring or foolhardy pilot, who dodged and swooped with reckless abandon for safety of common sense at house tops and chimneys. Leonard McMullin happened to fly in about six o'clock and his arrest followed immediately.

Testimony at the trial established the identity of the plane rather conclusively as one owned by the Carr Brothers of Charleston. Leo Carr testified that McMullin drove the ship to Charleston Thursday evening, landing there about five o'clock. The number, said Carr, is C9039. The ship was further described as having a red fuselage and orange or yellow wings. In answer to a question, Carr stated that a narrow strip decorated the lower part of the fuselage.

The stripe incidently played a part in the testimony in that Lyle Malone, one of Sikeston's ex-flyers, positively saw a stripe fully "six inches wide", when the flyer swooped down over the golf links.

Art Sensenbaugh stated that the number of the plane under consideration was C9039. He was not sure about the stripe.

Carr stated that McMullin came over alone, left the ship and later returned home alone. "It was on the ground the entire time except for about ten minutes when I took a hop", said Mr. Carr.

Other witnesses were positive that the ship over Sikeston carried two passengers, one wearing a white helmet. McMullin sports an old delapitated brown and weather worn helmet, which was displayed for the benefit of judge and attorney Roger Bailey.

In the main, then, as the judge said, the ship was rather conclusively identified, but "Mr. McMullin had not been placed in the ship while it cavorted over Sikeston tree tops last Thursday."

In an informal discussion after the hearing, Bailey and Chief Kendall explained that they had visited Charleston, and that McMullin stood convicted "over there". Sikeston pilots and flyers generally, who know McMullin, are positive that he would not risk his government pilot license for the questionable sport of skimming tree tops.

Kansas City has forty-four scheduled airplanes carrying passngers, mail and express, arriving and departing daily. This record is said to be unparalleled by any other city.

Slim Pickens, one of our noted amateur actors, has been engaged to play the heavy part in the next show at Wild Onion. Slim is too light in weight to play heavy parts, but he is going to remedy that defect by stuffing his clothes with pillows and filling his pockets with scrap iron.—Commercial Appeal.

THREE MEN KILLED IN BOAT EXPLOSION

Cairo, Ill., September 8.—Three men are dead and three suffering from burns and other injuries as the result of an explosion of an oil flat boat tied up to the government dredge boat Tabor on the Ohio river near here yesterday.

The dead are Jesses D. Hart, 38, of Memphis, Tenn., first engineer of the Tabor who was burned by the blast, Captain David Q. Dogan, 49, of Memphis, Tenn., and William I. Smith, of Mound City, Ill., third engineer, who died in a hospital today.

The injured are James Hall, 25, Memphis, a stoker, seriously burned about the face and body; Grandville Metcalf, 40, of Grand Chain, Ill., an inspector's helper, burned about the body, and Charles E. Alley, 35, of Goconda, Ill., an oiler, who received broken ribs and bruises.

The oil boat was destroyed by fire and the Tabor was damaged to the extent of several hundred dollars.

The cause of the explosion has not been determined but members of the crew expressed the opinion that gas may have formed in the oil tanks and may have been ignited by a spark from a workman's hammer.

BLUFF GRIDSTERS HAVE FIRST SCRIMMAGE TUESDAY

Poplar Bluff, September 9.—Coach Emery T. Peters planned to put his Poplar Bluff High School football squad through its first scrimmage of the season at Booster Park this afternoon.

Quite a number of fans and students were on hand to try and get a line on the individual players. Scrimmage will be in order practically every day until the opening game with East Prairie High School on September 26.

Coach Peters has three full teams to pit against each other.

STEELE RESIDENT KILLED BY TRAIN

Hayti, September 9.—The mangled body of a man struck about noon yesterday by a northbound Frisco train near Steele today was identified as that of John Gray Perry, 79, of Hayti.

The body was brought here in an unrecognizable condition, but a letter in the clothing indicated the victim was John Whitaker of near Hayti. Whitaker was found to be alive, however, and identified the man as his uncle, who had been visiting in Blytheville, Ark., and who was walking home.

Noise of a nearby gin prevented his hearing the train.

Not that it makes any particular difference, but in this age of unusual situations we have a judge from the obsolete "Horse Age" trying an airplane case.

One of the greatest aids the Federal and State Governments can give to the unemployed and the drouth-stricken people is to jail profiteers in food stuff for both humans and animals. All claim a surplus of grains exists but still the price fails to react. The same can be said of meats. Something ought to be done about this.

Bids called for by U. S. engineering corps at Rock Island, Ill., to rebuild levee of Marion County Levee District.—Palmyra Spectator.

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MONETTE TO PLAY RETURN GAME SUNDAY

Monette, Arkansas, backed by their right-handed pitching ace Porter, will play a return game with Sikeston on Fairgrounds Park diamond next Sunday. The locals invaded the Arkansas baseball stronghold last week and returned with another scalp, winning 8-7 when Buddy Schuh nipped a hit and run rally in the last half of the ninth inning.

Monette has twice trimmed the Osceola Indians, but lost their third attempt when Steve Ralph used Slim Love as moundsman. Monette is known in the Arkansas baseball world as a strong contender for the Tri-State semi-pro championship this season.

Malone stated that "Sikeston was just lucky" in taking the game last Sunday. Two fluke plays by Sikeston players allowed four very expensive runs, and only the timely hitting of Hudson brought the locals out of the slump into the lead.

Burrus has not decided whether or not he will be able to pitch next Sunday's game. He had perfect control only one inning last week, he stated. After that he "lobbed them across" and trusted to luck. The big fellow's wing is being treated this week.

Smetzer, Dudley, Schuh, Hudson, Gore, Swaim , Kindred, Limbaugh and Crain are sure to see action next week. Burrus, if he is unable to fill the mound position, will probably be tucked away in right field to strengthen the local batting power. Malone is attempting to secure Burkett to pitch the game.

NO DROUGHT IN UPPER ILLINOIS SAYS TRAVELER

According to Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Buchanan, Sikeston tourist camp proprietors, who returned last Thursday from a four-day trip to Chicago, the State of Illinois from Pana into Chicago has not suffered materially from the drought.

The Sikestonians visited W. R. Buchanan and family during their brief visit.

Beginning at or near Pana, said Mr. Buchanan, crops look fairly good, and around Decatur, one cannot tell that the drought has damaged crops at all. Of course the farmers there do not fail to mention "drought damage". Even at that they have thousands of acres of corn which will make from fifty to seventy-five bushels per acre, added Mr. Buchanan. Cowpeas, soybeans and pasture lands are in excellent shape, and cattle are everywhere to be noticed.

WILL GATHER MATERIAL FOR RUMMAGE SALE MONDAY

A committee composed of Mrs. Chris Frances, Mrs. M. M. Beck, Mrs. C. E. Brenton and Mrs. Gid Daniels representing the Sikeston Woman's Club is delegated to gather material next Monday, September 15, for the proposed rummage sale, scheduled for next Friday at the Green Store room.

Rummage sales have proved successful in a number of cases as means of raising funds for the Woman's Club treasury and Library fund. Usually there is a large variety of useful articles on sale at very reasonable prices. Townspeople are asked to notify any member of the committee mentioned if they have garments, shoes or similar articles to donate.

CIVIL SERVICE BARS ITS EMPLOYES FROM POLITICS

Washington, September 9.—Following its practice of complete disassociation from politics, the United States Civil Service Commission has issued orders forbidding civil service employes to take any part in political campaigns except as voters, it was announced today.

In a circular issued nationally, the commission listed among the forbidden activities service on political committees or as officers of political clubs, work in rallies, or the making of public speeches, "offensive activities", at the polls or acting as watchers, checkers, etc., for parties at polls, or holding any election office.

It also forbids the writing of views for publication, running for local office, distributing campaign material, or circulating petitions. The order also specifically prohibits presidential appointees using their authority to coerce or influence elections.

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Another story comes to us of conditions that should be carefully watched. It seems that some able-bodied men in town and country think and believe the Government in some way will furnish fuel and food for those in need. This is a grave mistake as the Government has never intended to lend assistance in this way. They will finance organizations that will give security and that is as far as they will go. A man who can give security that is security, can get money from local banking institutions. They have the money, but most of us do not have the security. Some of have refused to work for $1.50 per day saying it takes $6 or $7 a day to live. And so it goes. It doesn't take so much money to buy bread, bacon and beans, but it does take a lot to buy mule, gas and be nice to the girls. A lot of us have got to cut our cloth a bit closer, do without some of the luxuries that we like and have gotten used to, have to cut out joy-riding or steal to run the gas wagon. Now, it is up to you and up to me, and I don't propose to steal unless it is that or starvation. What are you going to do?

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If we had been writing the Democratic platform, we would have concondemned the negligence of State officials in the Young Brothers failure and their laxiness in looking after State deposits in banks that have caused financial loss to the State. We understand Chas. M. Howell, Democrat Chairman, is attorney for the Young Brothers is why the pussy-foot plank is in the platform. Any party that hasn't guts sufficient to flay such crookedness hardly deserves to win. The party who sits on the fence is not to be trusted by either side.

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The patients, the nurses, the matron and assistant and the surgeon, feel grateful to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rudy for the beautiful gladiolas and dahlias sent to brighten the rooms and cheer the patients. Flowers and cheerful words sometimes are of great assistance in sickness.

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Charley Blanton, the versatile editor of The Sikeston Standard, and his son, Charley, stopped off in New London Saturday morning long enough to make the Record an appreciated call. Young Charley is just recovering from a severe spell of typhoid fever and looks as though he had been run through a flint mill. Old Charley looks as good as he did 70 years ago when he and the senior editor of the Record sparked pretty girls in this part of Missouri. Young Charley was on his way to Troy to take his wife and baby home. They had been making her parents an extended visit. We always feel better after having talked with these good people.—Ralls County Record.

What is the Associated Industries of Missouri and what is its object? We hardly know, but have heard it was an organization of corporate interests who have employed a number of mighty fine fellows to look after their interests. Of course, they would naturally be against anything that would place more taxes on them, and we don't blame them a bit, for if we could hide our presses and other junk in the office so the assessor could not see it, maybe we, too, could be classed with intagible wealth, whatever that is. The farmer, country merchant and small tradesman can hide nothing and he is assessed and taxed just as though it was not mortgaged to the limit, while corporations and big interests in cities can hide their taxable property to a great extent. Taxes to be equal should be collected on income then the class that pays most all of it now, would pay little or nothing.

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The late Hebraic Brains of the University of Missouri, has sold his talents to the Associated Industries of Missouri to muddy the waters and pull the wool over the eyes of the public in order that they may not understand the intentions of the Missouri Survey Commission that stands for better schools, better eleemosynary institutions and lower taxes on tangible property. The money to carry on under the findings and recommendations of the Survey Commissions will come from higher income taxes—from those who are able to pay.

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The Post-Dispatch states in an editorial that Mrs. Ruth McCormick, candidate for Congress in Illinois does not know whether she is "wet or dry" and the editor of the Dexter Statesman rises to remark that he is durn certain he would not serve on any committee or commission to ascertain the facts in the case. Maybe that is what Senator Nye is trying to find out; if so, she apparently doesn't want him foolin' 'round on any such mission, judging by the passes and repasses between the two in public print recently.—Democrat-Argus.

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If any of our newspaper brethren are in need of a two-thirder in their printing department write to Berry Jordan, Clinton, Ky. He was an employee of The Standard for quite a while, is a fine young chap, good habits and a willingness to work.

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Until we have done everything a first-class busines man can do, any time spent complaining is a confession.

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Representative Whitecotton of Monroe County asked as to where he stood on the proposition to be submitted to the legislature by the Missouri Survey Commission, said: "Any set of men who advocate the retention of the present system of taxation so that big business will invest in the State, ought to be sent to the Home at Marshall, where the feeble-minded are cared for. A continuation of the present system of taxation for a term of years will bring more wolves into Missouri than it will bring industries".

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It is not too early for sportsmen going into the field with gun and dog to start the habit of carrying an ear or two of corn for the birds, according to John H. Ross, game and fish commissioner, who as chief of wardens last year directed the winter feeding of birds in Missouri. This corn shelled or tied to vines out of reach of rodents will be greatly appreciated by pheasants, quail and wild turkeys it is pointed out. More than 88,000 pounds of shelled grain were used in the State-wide bird feeding program last winter.

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There are lots of fathers who browse around and fall into evil ways in every community. There are girls and young men who wander from the family fireside and engage in indescretions of various sorts. There are mothers who treat their family duties entirely too lightly. As a consequence there are some who conscientiously declare that the home is deteriorating, others make jesting references to the modern home. It requires the co-operation of all members of a family to make a bright, happy, God-fearing home, therefore, all the blame cannot be laid to the children, the fathers or the mothers. But who is there, regardless of how far they may stray at times, but who cherishes a refuge after he has rubbed elbows with the evil and the vice of the outside world, in a place called home, a place of rest and quiet, a place where love is born, nourished, and reachest its highest state of development. We should have more respect for our homes, and probably the best contribution some of us could make would be to be more cautious about our conduct on the outside, for, if we travel in the mire and filth it is difficult to shake it all from our feet as we enter our homes.—Jackson Cash-Book.

DO YOU KNOW

That farm property under ten years of Republican rule has steadily depreciated in value; that farm products have fallen to pre-war prices?

That both wheat and cotton are selling below the cost of production? That the Republican Secretary of Agriculture predicts that for the next seven years the price of grain will be lower than during the last seven years?

That the framers and their families constitute a third of the population of the United States and that the prosperity of the country as a whole cannot be restored without restoring prosperity to the farmers?

That the Republican Party has failed absolutely to keep its oft repeated pledge to relieve the depressed condition of agriculture; that President Hoover and his predecessors thru three Congresses rejected an agricultural program sponsored by leading farmers of the nation?

That approximately 85 per cent of the land under cultivation in the United States produces crops that yield exportable surpluses and that these crops, under normal conditions, bring back to this country from foreign markets approximately a billion dollars a year?

That the lately enacted Hoover-Grundy Tariff law which strangles our foreign trade drastically controls the exportation of surplus farm products; that since the bill was reported to the House May 7, 1930, there has been a continuous decline in American exports and a corresponding decline in the market price of major farm products?

That under the cloak of granting tariff "favors" to agriculture a Republican Congress has increased the rates on manufactured products which the farmers must buy to the highest levels in history, thereby adding to rather than lightening the farmers' burden?

That the Republican Congress and the President, in passing the Hoover-Grundy Tariff law, refused to heed the protests that had been vigorously urged against the measure by a thousand economists, by many notable financiers and by more than fty per cent of the press of the nation?

That farms valued at forty million dollars have been foreclosed through the Federal Farm Loan System and the Joint Stock Land Banks alone, because of the inability of farmers to meet their obligations during this period of Republican rule?

That President Hoover's Federal Farm Board, although it has had one quarter of a billion dollars placed in its hands, has failed utterly to meet the farm problem and that every product with which it has had any known connection has declined in price,

That the chief remedy now offered despairing farmers for their ills by the Republican administration is the reduction of acreage or in other words the limitation of agricultural enterprise?

That the avowed policy of the Farm Board is to make "studies and surveys and persuade farmers to reduce the production of exportable crops"?

That agriculture prospered under Democratic rule?

That the Republican party has forfeited its right to your confidence and even if you have hitherto pinned all your faith to that party you now owe it to yourself and your family to vote for the restoration of Democratic control of the government?

DeSoto—Gulf Pipe Line Co. has established two camps near here to carry on construction work on pipe line from Texas fields to refinery at Wood River, Ill.

Missouri has State fish hatcheries located at the following places: Cedar Fork, Perry County; Gibbs Lake, Crawford County; Swope Park, Jackson County; Cedar Gap, Wright County; Higginsville, Lafayette County; Bennett Springs, Laclede County; Forest Park, St. Louis; Sequiota Park, Greene County; Roaring River, Barry County, Chesapeake Lawrence County.

The Democratic Central Committee of Cape Girardeau County, has named the following candidates, in addition to those chosen in the primary election. Representative, B. Hugh Smith, Cape Girardeau; Presiding Judge, G. W. Howard of Whitewater township; County Judge, first district, Elmer Kinder of near Daisy; County Judge, second district, C. G. Wilson of Cape Girardeau; County Clerk, Homer O'Neil of Jackson; Common Pleas Court Clerk, E. P. Ellis of Cape Girardeau; Probate Judge, J. T. McDonald of Jackson. The special committee filing the ticket consisted of R. L. Dearmont; County Chairman, Mrs. A. R. Zoelsmann, Miss Clara Hutson, Joe Smith and Robert Hope.

FLORIDA 1928 GALE DEATH TOLL TWICE THAT OF PRESENT

Washington, Sept. 5.—Red Cross records show that the hurricane that struck Santo Domingo Wednesday killed almost three times as many persons as were killed in Porto Rico by the hurricane of 1928. The 1928 storm, however, also caused almost twice as many deaths in Florida as were caused by the Santo Domingo hurricane.

An official report today placed Santo Domingo deaths at 1000; injured, 2500. The 1928 hurricane killed 283 in Porto Rico and injured 4232. It took 1810 lives in Florida and injured 1849 persons.

Just four years ago a hurricane took two and a half times as many lives in Cuba as were taken by the Santo Domingo storm. Following that disaster, the American Red Ambassador at Havana for relief work. Fifty thousand dollars already have been made available for the present disaster.

A twenty-six year old searchlight of 250,000,000 candle-power which was one of the marvels of the St. Louis World's Fair is being restored to service at the City Hall, University City, Mo. The electric beacon with its five-foot lens will be much more powerful than any now known to exist even taking into consideration the many powerful air beacons. The giant rays of the searchlight according to engineers will be visible as far away as Jefferson City.

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WILL DEDICATE 'SHOE STRING' STADIUM

Cape Girardeau broke into metropolitan journalism last Sunday when a feature writer of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat was given a full illustrated page to explain the conception and construction of the new Normal School stadium and field house "on a shoe string".

The St. Louis writer related in detail the events leading up to the climax which will be reached next October 3, when the Southeast Missouri State Teachers College officially dedicates Houck Field and Stadium.

President Serena, said the writer, first purchased an abandoned rock quarry near the campus, and by drafting twenty or more day workers, and securing a number of broken down and discarded highway steam shovels and trucks, wrought from the wreckage and junk pile, a modern $100,000 stadium. The field house has been in use for more than one year.

It was literally built on a "shoe string". There was no State appropriation. The student body, numbering on an average less than 700 could not be expected to donate in terms of five figures, but financed it was. The project stands completed now and the dedication ceremony program will officially close the first chapter—that of construction.

The program:

10 a. m.—Street parade.

11 a. m.—Dedication of field and stadium.

12 noon—Luncheon tendered invited guests by Chamber of Commerce.

2:30 p. m.—Football game, Carbondale vs. Cape Girardeau.

Higginsville—Cheney's Millinery Store opens in Genser building.

Not one penny of State tax money is used by the Missouri Game and Fish Department in its program to restore the wild life of the State. Hunting and fishing license revenues which in 1929 amounted to more than $362,886 is used in this work in which the State's 307,000 licensed hunters and fishermen are enlisted.

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GARY REPLIES TO BULLETIN BY DR. LOEB

Macon, Mo., September 10.—Replying to a charge by Dean Isidor Loeb of Washington University school of finance, Theodore Gary, chairman of the Missouri Survey Commission, declared in a statement last night that "there is ample proof, both in the survey report and out of it for the statement that tangible property constitutes but 20 per cent of the wealth of the State".

Mr. Gary said the Associated Industries of Missouri, which published a pamphlet written by Dean Loeb, had "persisted in publishing misleading statements" regarding the Survey Commission's tax equalization program.

"The commision's report specifically shows the total income of local and State government of Missouri, except for roads. is 114½ million dollars", Mr. Gary said. "It further shows tangilble property bears 107½ million dollars, which is 94 per cent of the total tax burden. Such a disproportionate and unfair burden upon one class of wealth is not only inexcusable but fatal to our economic welfare".

DEMOCRATIC RESISTANCE TO REPUBLICAN PROSPERITY

Robert Lucas, of Kentucky, yesterday assumed the position of executive director of the Republican national committee. The occasion was made memorable by the issuance of a remarkable statement.

It makes it clear, from the Republican viewpoint, the cause of the economic depression and its failure to revive.

The Democrats brought about the depression with the view to embarrassing the Republican party and disturbing prosperity that always goes hand in hand with a Republican administration.

Having precipitated the depression over the protest of the Republican party, the Democrats are now exerting every effort to prevent a return to prosperity, which is knocking at the door.

The Democrats will not permit prosperity to return until after the November election, and in the meantime will capitalite conditions for the benefit of partisan politics.

This, in substance, is Mr. Lucas' contention, and it is up to him to sell the idea to the people and save the country for Republicanism.

Mr. Lucas takes the traditional attitude of Republican leaders.

When the country is prosperous credit belongs exclusively to the Republican party.

When times are hard, responsibility rests with Providence and the Democratic party.

Usually the bulk of the blame for adversity is attributed to the Democrats.

When the country is prosperous under a Republican administration all credit belongs to the Republican majority.

When times are hard under a Republican administration the blame rests with the Democratic minority.

When the country is prosperous under a Democratic administration it is in spite of attempts of Democrats to produce hard times.

In periods of depression under a Democratic administration, it is attributed soely to Democratic mismanagement, and despite the corrective measures proposed by the Republicans.

Sensible people do not attribute conditions, such as we are now experiencing, solely to political parties or politics.

Political parties are contributing factors, and the party in power cannot claim credit for prosperity and cannot escape responsibility for depression.

Any Democrat who would be guilty of the charges made by Lucas ought to be shot.

Any person, Republican, or Democrat, who believes Mr. Lucas' statement ought to be confined in an insane asylum.—Commercial Appeal.

Princeton—Ravanna paving completed.

Excelsior Springs—Steel hand rails placed at Spring Street entrance to springs.

ESTRAY

The following described mules were picked up as astray near the W. C. Burns farm 6 miles Northeast of Sikeston on August 27.

One black mare mule, about 15 hands high, blind in left eye.

One brown mare mule, about 15 hands high, blind in left eye.

Owner will prove claim to the property, pay for feed and thsi advertisement.

W. C. BURNS
Box 314, Route 1
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WHEN MODERNIZING, GET HISTORY PHOTOGRAPHS

Harry Kuboda of the Van Dyke Studio, comes forward with a suggestion to all home owners that are thinking of remodeling or modernizing their homes. This suggestion was inspired by seeing the "before and after" illustrations that have been appearing on the modernizing pages in The Standard.

"Keep a photographic history of your modernization efforts", suggests Mr. Kuboda. "Before remodeling the exterior of your old home take a picture of the old relic so that in years to come you will be able to recall just exactly how it once appeared. The human memory is frail and the picture which is so plain today soon fades. Keep a permanent record of your improvements in the form of a photograph".

The Home Modernizing Movement as sponsored by The Standard is meeting with unusual reception. Telephone calls to your editorial rooms are indicative of the interest the public is taking in the effort to beautify, improve and modernize the homes of this city.

Already a number of local persons have volunteered that they are interested in the subject and are now planning to modernize their old homes. Local business men are eager to co-operate with any home owners who are thinking along these lines. Their expert talent is at the disposal of any readers of this paper without obligation.

That the home modernizing movement will be a benefit to the community is the opinion of many. They point out that there are a number of streets that are marked with old time worn out houses that need the magic of modernization. The home owner who will take steps to improve the exterior appearance of these houses is rendering a public service and should be commended highly.

RAILROADS OFFER LOW RATES TO DAIRY SHOW

Unprecedented low railroad rates for the National Dairy Exposition at the Arena in St. Louis October 11-19, taking in practically the entire United States and Canada, have been announced from the headquarters of the National Dairy Association.

In general, a rate of fare and one-third for the round trip will apply to the Southeastern territory between the Ohio and Potomac Rivers and the Gulf and in the Southwestern States from the Mississippi River to the Rockies and also in the State of Illinois. A rate of one and one-half fares for the round trip will apply in northern Kentucky, Indiana, Ohio and lower Michigan. In practically all the rest of the United States and Canada the rate is one and one-half fare for the round trip on the certificate plan. Tickets go on sale October 9 with a liberal time allowance for return trips.

For the special State days during the Exposition, a rate equal to 75 per cent of the one-way fare for the round trip is authorized for those States. These tickets are good only in day coaches with a time limit of from two to three days for the return trip. All railroads entering St. Louis are also planning to operate special trains to the Exposition.

EMERGENCY PASTURE NEEDED

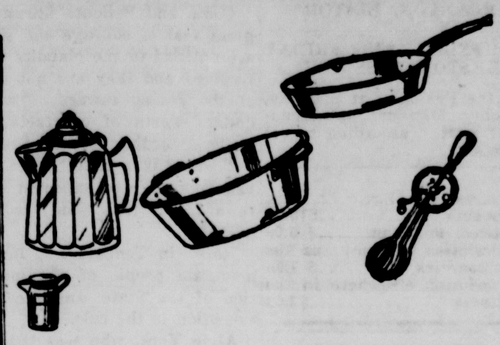
In addition to the grain shortage resulting from the drouth, the shortage of pasture and roughage requires that crops will furnish these eiements to be sown at once says W. C. Etheridge, chairman of the department of field crops of the Missouri College of Agriculture. Wheat and rye are the most practical crops for this purpose.

Wheat, because of its higher nutritive value as livestock feed and its more favorable relation to spring sown clover, is the most promising of these crops. Where drouth stricken corn is removed early for silage or fodder, the land will require very little preparation for sowing wheat. By taking advantage of this condition the wheat crop can be produced at an unusually low cost per acre. In addition, wheat is a good nurse crop for young clovers and grasses.

Wheat following corn should receive 50 to 300 pounds per acre of a 4-12-2 fertilizer mixture. Wheat sown after wheat or oats may be treated with the ordinary application of 200 to 250 pounds per acre of high grade phosphate. The general destruction of young clover by drouth will cause an increased seeding of clover in the spring of 1931. Therefore, the fertilizer applied to wheat this fall will nearly everywhere serve the double purpose of increasing the grain yield and stimulating the growth of clover.

Unionville—The Fashion Shoppe is new ladies' ready-to-wear store to open in former location of Baker Clothing Co. in Davidson building.





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ROAD BUILDING

This paper favors the construction of a hard road wherever it can be arranged in this county. The hearing Tuesday was on the "Concord" road. We favor its construction, but we believe that it should be gravel, made a part of the system which the State will take over and maintain. It is a farm-to-market road and nothing else.

There is little doubt in our mind but that the present route of 60 will be changed in this county. We are reasonably certain that from Wyatt to Birds Point the present route will be abandoned because of the floodway. Whether it is built upon top of the levee or otherwise, there will be a change. Whether the road will be changed from its present location beginning at Gaty's corner, west of Bertrand and run directly east on an air-line to the Davis Watts corner 1 mile south of Thad Snow's residence we do not know but we fear that it will. In this case, the route from Gaty's through Bertrand and thence to Charleston, to Snow's and on to the Watts corner will be abandoned and this will cause the county, if present practice of the Highway Department is continued, to lose the refund on 12 additional miles.

It is stated that the refund due this county is $250,000. In order to lose as little of that as possible, or none at all, we favor the building of refund roads until all of that refund money is used in the construction of roads in the county.

We have little comment to make on the meeting Tuesday when fire was in the eyes of a number and there was spirited discussion. However, the petition should be amended, in our opinion, in the second line of the last paragraph, changing the word "definite" to "general."

The word "definite" is treacherous, we believe. The highway department has taken the stand that no road is "permanent" (definite) if it seeks to change it, and that is what we are facing now in considering the loss of refund if those changes are made in route 60.

The Highway Department took over 60 from Bird's Point to the Scott County line. If anyone had said that it was temporary he would have been denounced as crazy or a sharper. For the highway department to deny this county the proper refund on anticipated changes is morally and otherwise wrong.

Therefore rather than take a chance on losing the refund we say build the Concord road and any others so as to utilize the refund due us.

Over in Scott County the county court is facing the same proposition as is likely we shall face. It has employed a lawyer, Ray Lucas, and he is to be paid $5000 and a percentage of whatever sum he saves the county because of the changes being made in route 61 from Ancell to Benton and the latter place to Sikeston.—Charleston Enterprise-Courier.

Herculaneum—Cornerstone laid at new Baptist church.

Choose designs for children's clothes with ironing in mind, whether you make the clothes yourself or buy them ready-made. Fussy ruffles and queer-shaped parts take up the time of the laundress, and never look as well after washing and ironing as trim, smooth garments that are well-cut and made of interesting materials.



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BOTH TARRED WITH THE SAME STICK

There will be no reference to the Young brothers' failure in either the Republican or Democratic platform, according to pre-convention forecasts from Jefferson City. If the prophecy is fulfilled, both parties will have miserably dodged their plain moral and political duty.

The Young brothers' so-called brokerage house operated a "racket" which amounted to $2,000,000. The enterprise was conducted in violation of the law designed to protect the the public from just such swindles. The Young brothers courted and obtained important political friendship. They subscribed to the campaign fund of Secretary of State Becker, responsible for enforcing the blue-sky law, and received from him appreciative acknowledgment of their help. They employed Attorney-General Shartel, paying him in monthly installments a retainer of $3000, for which that official admitted he performed no service. They employed State Senators of both parties, lesser politicians of both parties, and among their office documents was a letter by Chairman Howell of the Democratic State Committee certifying complimentarily as to their character.

As reputable political organizations both the Republican and Democratic parties ought to denounce the Young brothers scandal. Both ough. to pledge themselves to the strengthening and enforcement of the blue-sky law so that a repetition of this outrage shall not occur. Both parties should profess repentance, with earnest resolve to sin no more, because both parties are tarred with the same stick.
and they so morally bankrupt that they are afraid to do it?—Post-Dispatch.

We observe that with the scarcity of money, the great surplus of grain throughout the land, and the shipment of livestock to the markets, that the things we must buy at the stores to eat is gradually sliding up in price. There sure ought to be something done about this.

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Out in Kansas, a convict broke jail twice, escaped the execution of a death sentence, lived almost forty years unidentified, and died a prosperous farmer. A life-time of useful endeavor ought somehow to cancel automatically responsibility for an ancient crime. If a man can live for a quarter-century in such manner as to hold his place in the ranks of good citizenry the while, it is safe to assume either that he has undergone a genuine repentance, or that he was not guilty in the first place.

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Joe Percente held forth at the Baptist Church in Sikeston several nights recently. One who attended stated that at one of Joe's sermons on Sunday he talked of what a tough man he had been al his life—saloon keeper, bootlegger, and everything—and then reformed. The Standard editor was glad he was not present to hear such confessions from the pulpit. And come to think of it, just how does such cattle get into a respected pulpit. Joe stated to the editor that he was part French and the balance Choctaw Indian. We don't know what blood did run thru his veins, but to us he was a typical Italian raceteer. So long, Joe.

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Do women dress to please other women, or themselves, or the men? This question is being debated from one end of America to the other. We say they dress to please the men. The fact that styles always are so fashioned as to gratify the masculine weakness for views of feminine anatomy is conclusive argument to this effect. Nobody can recall an era in which dresses did not reveal some charm the men were not supposed to see. Now that they are surfeited with exhibitions of lower extremities the order has gone forth to drop skirts several inches lower and add decollette effects to the upper fabrics. Since women do not care to see such displays, and since men dearly love them, how can any other conclusion be reached than that the pleasure of men rather than their own pleasure or that of other women is what women dress for?—Paris Appeal.

DAY BY DAY WITH GOVERNOR PATTERSON

Coste and Bellonte accomplished a great feat of courage and skill. They are entitled to the plaudits they have received and they are not unmindful of the money reward. Two million dollars worth of contracts are now made, according to the newspapers.

There was a time when courage had no price and expected no money reward, but that time has almost passed.

Here in Tennessee among the mountain people of the middle section of the State was a conspicuous exception to the rule.

Alvin York, who was the individual hero of the war, absolutely refused to capitalize his fame. He declined motion picture contracts and other appearances that would have made him a very rich man. Instead he has devoted his life to raising modest funds for the education of the children of his birthplace, married a modest mountain girl, and withdrew from the glare and glitter in which his appaulding countrymen would have surrounded him had he been of the mercenary breed.

York is a wonderful character and Lindbergh is another. We should not forget them in praising the Frenchmen.

Then we should not forget Andree and his companions frozen for 33 years in the silent Arctic snows and ice, unmindful of the fact that the seas had been crossed by airships and two poles had been discovered.

There is a certain great dignity and majesty in the deaths of these explorers who fell victims to the cruel biting teeth of the freezing cold. They perished alone. There were no crowds to witness their heroism and applaud them as exhausted they lay down to die. There never is when men fail, only when they succeed. Surely though there must be a glory that settles over the headless skeleton of Andree, who tried and failed.—Commercial Appeal.

Our eyes are not so keen as they once were, but we can still see that Sikeston has a great many very handsome High Shcool girls. We hesitated before writing this paragraph for fear it would not be weil received and understood in certain quaters, however, it is so, and truth must prevail.

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The editor set down to one of the best meals he has had for many a day Tuesday at his own home. Some good friend sent in a big mess of mustard greens which were cooked with a ham hock that came from somewhere. Then there was a big plate of real corn bread. Oh, boy!

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The Prince of Wales is made an Air Marshal, a Lieutenant General, and a Vice-Admiral in one day. No doubt his poor old father was relieved to hear that Ed was to have steadywork, and probably would get through the winter somehow.

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A newspaper states that the body of a young woman suicide was found by her "mate". Considering the unpleasant flavor that is often attached to that word, and that most readers sometimes, and many readers most of the time, do not scrutinize beyond the heading, it would have been an act of charity toward the unfortunate wife to have pointed out that the "mate" who made the dismal find was her husband.

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Messrs. Coste and Bellonte, nervy lads from the territory of ancient Gaul, reverse Col. Lindbergh's historic flight and drive their plane from Paris to New York, in spite of Davy Jones' yawning locker. They have demonstrated that men of kindly purpose can travel as quickly from France to America as from America to France. The work of the air craft, as a means for uniting the nations of the earth in the bonds of good will, has only begun.

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The farmer who is selling his good, white, dry cotton for 3 cents per pound in the seed certainly ought to thank Mr. Hoover and Mr. Hyde for that farm relief they promised. The men, women and children who are picking coton for 50c per hundred certainly ought to be thankful for the good old Republican tariff that we've always heard meant high wages. Then after getting in a thankful mood they ought to go ahead and thank Dewey Short who voted to increase this wonderful tariff so the manufacturers can sell this 3-cent cotton back to them in the form of shirts and socks and other wearables for 50c a pound or more, regardless of the price at which it was bought. Dewey will be around before long asking to be sent back for another term. What are you going to tell him?—Bloomfield Vindicator.

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Kansas ity—Land-Thompson Chevrolet Company moves to new building at 71st and Wyandotte St.

HURRICANE HISTORY

Hurricanes have scourged countries of the Caribbean area since the beginning of history, and the fact that these nations have always been able to recuperate physically and economicaly after each is a tribute to their courage and stamina.

From Columbus' first voyage in 1492 until 1855 there occurred 355 hurricanes of sufficient violence to be recorded in standard histories of the Antilles and in that record is the story of perhaps the greatest and longest sustained fight made by people in any part of the globe against the adverse forces of nature.

During the last half century 316 West Indian hurricanes have been classified by U. S. weather experts, so that the long narrative of nature's violence is virtually complete.

Columbus reported that when coasting the northern coast of Cuba in 1492 he was driven by violent winds 56 leagues to the north. The storm compelled him to remain in harbor off "Espanola" several days.

A year later, returning to Spain, Columbus' ships were struck by a hurricane which lasted three days. The great navigator was so certain of impending disaster that he wrote an account of his discoveries and threw it overboard.

A few major catastrophes through the centuries follow:

In 1508, Santo Domingo, scene of the present disaster, was struck by a huricane, houses were wrecked, and 20 vesels were destroyed.

The year 1642 was marked by three terrific hurricanes in the West Indies, and 23 vessels were wrecked on the coast of St. Kitts.

In 1650 the island of Guadeloupe was devastated.

Barbadoes, in 1669, experienced a hurricane which blew down 300 houses, killed 200 and wrecked eight ships in the harbor.

Antigua was desolated in 1621.

The town of Port Royal in Jamaica, was hit by a hurricane in 1722 which wrecked number of vessels and killed 400.

In 1759 occurred one of the strangest weather phenomenons ever recorded. Heavy gales impeded the current of the gulf stream, which was forced from behind by trade winds off the Gulf of Mexico. The sea rose until it is said to have completely submerged Tortugas and other islands in that region.

The Spanish fleet of five rich treasure ships bound from Vera Cruz for Havana and Old Spain was forced ashore by a hurricane in 1766.

The storm, recorded in history as "the most terrific cyclone that ever occurred", and still referred to as "the greatest hurricane", occurred in October, 1780. It started at Barbadoes, where trees and houses were all blown down, moved northward to Santa Lucia, where it engulfed an English fleet, and buried 6000 people beneath ruins on that island. Next it swept Martinique, where it destroyed a French fleet of 40 ships carrying 400 soldiers. The hurricane sank ships as far north as Bermuda.

In 1791 a combined hurricane and flood in Cuba destroyed the Royal Tobacco Mills and killed 257 persons.

Probably the most persistent hurricane ever reported was that in 1899 which swept the Leeward and Virgin Islands, Porto Rico, the Bahamas, and part o fthe United States coast. It lasted more than a month.

The U. S. Weather Bureau has kept a systematic record of hurricanes over the period 1879-1928, which recently was analyzed by Charles L. Mitchell, meteorologist, in an official publication.

He found that the number of hurricanes varies greatly from year to year, for unknown causes. The least in a year was one in 1890, and the greatest number, 16, in 1887. During the first 25 years—1879-1903—there were 174, and during the second 25 year period—1904-1928—142.

Mitchell reported that no tropical cyclone of hurricane intensity has ever, so far as known, reached the gulf or Atlantic coast of the United States in any month except the five month period from June to October, inclusive.

He also learned that about seven per cent of the tropical cyclones occur in June, 8 per cent in July, 18 per cent in August, 35 per cent in September, and 32 per cent in October.—Commercial Appeal.

A Yankee thug, marked for deportation from Germany, will be permitted to tarry a while beside a healing spring in the Fatherland, if he can convince the authorities that his stomach actually is out of whack. One touch of colic makes the whole world kin.

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The owl that has been hanging around the Hog Ford Church has got used to the preaching and singing every Sunday and now just sits around right quiet and wonders what it is all about.—Commercial Appeal.

THE TREASURE HOUSE, THE MISSISSIPPI VALLEY

The Mississippi Valley contains 34 per cent of the total population of the United States, 66 per cent of the rural, 58 per cent of the native, and 61 per cent of the home-owning population, 64 per cent of the land, 80 per cent of the cropped land.

Produces 100 per cent of the cane sugar, flaxseed, broomcorn; 80 to 90 per cent of the corn, wheat, oats, rye, rice; 70 to 80 per cent of the barley, livestock and total crops; 60 to 70 per cent of the sweet potatoes, hay, cotton, cottonseed, beet sugar, cane syrup, wool; 50 to 60 per cent of the potatoes, tobacco, cowpeas, peanuts, lumber of the United States.

Produces 90 to 100 per cent of the coal coke, pig iron, iron ore; 70 to 80 per cent of the gasoline, petroleum; 60 to 70 per cent of the gas, potash, salt; 50 to 60 per cent of the gypsum, pottery of the United States.

Manufactures 80 to 90 per cent of the agricultural implements, automobiles, iron and steel work; 70 to 80 per cent of the automobile parts, butter, flour, meat, turpentine, resin; 60 to 70 per cent of the artificial stone products, carriage and wagon materials and carriages and wagons, cheese, engines, structural iron; 50 to 60 per cent of the awnings, tents, sails, brick, terra cotta, coffee and spices roasted and ground, copper, tin and sheet iron, miscellaneous food preparations, furniture, glass, lumber, timber products, cottonseed oil, cake and meal, miscellaneous rubber goods and 45 per cent of all manufactures in 1919.

Produces 80.8 per cent of the wheat—manufactures only 71.1 per cent of the wheat products.

Produces 61.6 per cent of the cotton goods.

Produces 99.0 per cent of the cane sugar—manufactures only 42.4 per cent of the confectionery.

Produces 61.6 per cent of the wool—manufactures only 4.5 per cent of the woolen goods.

Produces 74.8 per cent of the livestock—manufactures only 32.0 per cent of the leather.

Produces 69.6 per cent of all crops—manufactures only 59.5 per cent of miscellaneous food products.

Produces 52.9 per cent of the lumber—manufactures only 29.8 per cent of the pig iron—manufactures only 32.1 per cent of the hardware, 47.5 per cent of the machine shop products, 32.1 per cent of the electrical machinery, 63.4 per cent of the engines.—Research Department, New Orleans Chamber of Commerce.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Lizzie and A. H. Anderson and Zeno Clardy to St. Louis Union Trust Co.: 360,38a 9-28-14, $6000.

Fred Dierssen to St. Louis Joint Stock Land Bank, 160a 12-29-12, $4,000.

Farm & Home Savings & Loan Association, lot 17 block 16 Chamber of Commerce addition Sikeston. $1600.

Andrew Bucher to Phillip Bucher, land 2-28-13, $1.

F. A. Griggs to J. F. Little, 160a 28-13, $3500.

H. W. Duke to Chaffee Building & Loan Association, lot 18 block 11, Chaffee, $100.

James Arnold to Federal Land Bank of St. Louis, 80a 8-26-13, $4,892.70.

John Pilliard to Scott County Building & Loan Asosciation, part lots 4 and 5, all 12, 13 block 9 Bell addition, Fornfelt, $540.—Benton Democrat.

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Salmon, Fancy Pink, No. 1 tall cans, 2 cans - 29c

Country Club Peaches Halves Sliced 2 large cans 45c

FRENCH COFFEE, 2 lbs. 59c

Butter Country Club finest creamery lb. 45c | Corn Flakes Country Club large package 10c

Bread Country Club 20-ounce Twin Loaf 8c | Country Club 12 oz. Loaf 5c

Salad Dressing Country Club 12 ounces 25c | MILK Country Club 3 tall cans .. 23c, 4 small cans 15c

Ivory Soap 4 bars 25c

K. C. Baking Powder 25-oz. can 25c | PRUNES, bulk, per lb. 10c

Campbell's Tomato Soup 3 Cans 23c

Pork and Beans Country Club 2 Cans With Pork and Sauce 15c | Corn, Tomatoes, No. 2 can Standard Pack 10c

Certo, Sure Jell, Bottle 25c | CAMAY SOAP, 4 Bars 25c

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DISH PANS, 10 Qt. size 49c | Karo Syrup White, 5 pounds 38c, Red, 5 pounds 36c

MALT KROGER'S large cans 3 for 89c

Kellogg's Pep, package 12c | Rice Krispies Kellogg's package 13c

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Bacon Half or Whole lb. 29c | Bologna, lb. 28c

MINCED HAM, pound 30c

Turtles are declared to be a formidable enemy to fish propagation in Missouri streams and considerable loss of young fingerlings is laid at their door. The fish and game department states that the soft-shelled and snapper turtles are the best forms of edible turtles found in the State.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MORLEY

T. H. Neeley was removed to the Cape Girardeau Hospital Wednesday for examination and an operation Monday.

Aunt Jane Peal of Blodgett has been visiting here the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Faith of St. Louis moved to a farm between here and Blodgett.

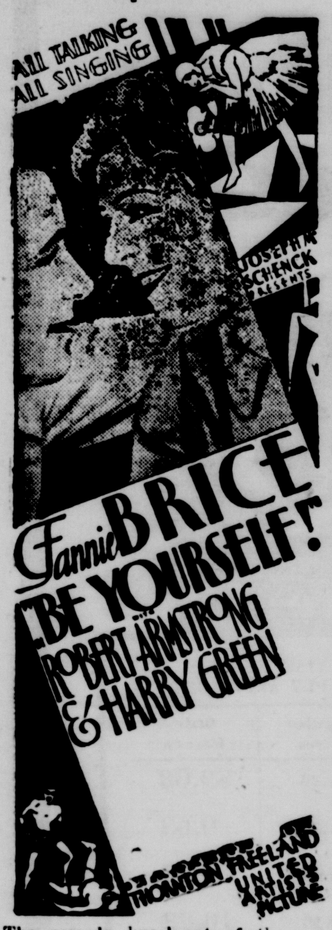
Harry Eskridge of St. Louis arrived Saturday evening to visit his grandmother, Mrs. Elmira Bynum.

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Based upon a story by Gouverneur Morris, this talker has much to commend it. The acting, directing and story treatment have been placed in capable hands and, as a result, one finds a picture that portrays a rather difficult subject in a sensible manner. The cast: Ruth Chatterton, Clive Brook, Paul Lucas, Huntley Gordon, Virginia Hammond, Tom Patricola, Juilette Compton, Cecil Cunningham, Charles Gerrard, Harvey Clark and Sidney Bracey.

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Tuesday and Wednesday
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He thought he was a symbol of virtue, but a nifty blonde who knew him when, upset his equilibrium. You'll get a real kick and a full measure of laughs from this smart and snappy comedy.

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Next year's motor car licenses plates for Missouri will have black letters and numerals against a light grey background, according to an announcement today by the highway department.

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Mrs. Lucy Walton of near Blodgett is visiting her sons, Jesse.

Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Miller were Cape Girardeau shoppers, Saturday.

Vanda Jean Brashear went to Blodgett Saturday for a week-end visit.

Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Miller shopped in Cape Girardeau Saturday afternoon.

Misses Janice Emerson and Sarah Daugherty visited at Oran Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn and children were in Cape Girardeau and Fornfelt Saturday.

Mrs. G. W. Cox left Wednesday for St. Louis to visit at the home of John Worley and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Alford Bryant and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Darter were Cape Girardeau visitors, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Forgason of Rector, Ark., arrived Saturday for a visit at the Marvin Gibbs home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mize and baby of Sikeston came up Saturday for a week-end visit with the parents of each.

Mrs. L. C. Leslie went to Charleston Friday for a visit with her mothers, Mrs. Mary Thompson and other relatives.

Cotton is coming in rapidly, considering the scarcity of pickers, and a large per cent of the crop is open in the boll.

Mrs. Harris Foster, Mrs. J. R. Lee, Mrs. Maud Daugherty and Mrs. T. H. Neeley were Cape Girardeau visitors and shoppers, Thursday.

Mrs. Anna Underwood returned to her home in Cape Girardeau Saturday after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vaughn and family.

Mesdames Leslie Watson, Maude Daugherty and Forrest Watson and two little daughters visited Mrs. Lizzie May at East Prairie, Friday.

Mrs. R. H. Leslie served a delicious six o'clock dinner Friday evening to Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Emerson, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Beardslee and L. C. Leslie.

A very interesting meeting of the M. E. Missionary Society was held at the home of Mrs. J. E. Smith Thursday with Mrs. Hal Boyce as leader.

John Carty of Colton, Calif., who lived in this County about seventeen years ago, arrived Saturday to visit his sister, Mrs. H. K. Dickey, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beardslee arrived here from Lebanon, Saturday, enroute to Detroit, Mich., via Kentucky. Mrs. Anna Beardslee accompanied them to Detroit for a visit.

Mrs. G. D. Harris was given a surprise birthday dinner Thursday by her many friends and neighbors. Each lady carried a covered dish and a sumptuous dinner was served at the noon hour.

NEWS ITEMS FROM MOREHOUSE VICINITY

E. V. Darnell has organized a Junior Band.

Mrs. C. L. Henson shopped in Cape Girardeau, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Vaughn and daughter spent Sunday in Matthews.

Mrs. John Shoulders of Sikeston visited friends in Morehouse Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Boone and Mrs. George Boone shopped in Sikeston Saturday afternoon.

The Ford supper which was sponsored by the Methodist church was well attended.

Jack Edwards of Kennett spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Edwards.

Roger Jones and Wes Sherwood of New Madrid were Morehouse visitors Wednesday afternoon.

Misses Ethel Comer and Helen Fuller visited Mrs. Ben Sutton in Poplar Bluff, Thursday.

Miss Flora Williams and Mrs. Anna Wright were business visitors of New Madrid, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Cain and daughter are now residing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Vick.

Miss Lucille McDonough and Chester Black of Morley visited friends in Morehouse Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Fisher, George Boone and Miss Alma Jones were visitors of New Madrid Thursday.

Dr. C. H. Pease returned Saturday from St. Louis, where he has been visiting friends for the past week.

Raymond Ursery, formerly of this place, now making his home in Cape Girardeau, spent the week-end in Morehouse.

F. W. Leming is confined to his home from slight injuries. He is employed as master mechanic of the Himmelberger-Harrison Lumber Co.

F. G. Zillmer has been in St. Louis for the past week on business.

Mrs. Rozella Taylor and Herman Bandy of Sikeston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Fisher Thursday evening.

The M. E. Missionary Society served the operating committee of the Himmelberger-Harrison Lumber Co. with a 12 o'clock luncheon Thursday.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM BLODGETT

Carl Parker and mother were in Blodgett, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cosgroves were in Blodgett, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Boardman were in Benton Tuesday.

Rev. Walt Hill and E. R. Putman made a business trip to Cairo, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Anderson of Detroit, Mich., are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Annie Adams of Benton visited Mrs. J. S. Peal Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Finley and family of Oran visited Mr. and Mrs. C. Cope, Sunday.

Eugene and Joe Robert Nunnelee visited their grandmother at East Prairie.

J. F. Nunnelee, who had an attack of gall stone colic last week, is able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Estes motored to Marquand Sunday and visited Mr. Estes' relatives.

Mrs. Robinson and daughter of Florida is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Glen Clippard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Godwin and children spent the week-end in Jackson visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Peal and little daughter of Commerce were in Blodgett Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Nunnelee and sons Eugene and Joe Robert, visited in Cape Girardeau, Sunday.

Mrs. E. C. Graham and daughter, Jeanett and Mrs. Clarence Sadler, shopped in Cape Girardeau Tuesday.

Mrs. J. S. Peal and daughter, Mrs. Moss, Mrs. Audrey Reams and Mrs. Ralph Eatherson and little son shopped in Sikeston, Thursday.

Mrs. Carl Richard, who has spent the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Pearman, returned to her home in Flat River.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sadler and daughter of Wilson, Ark., visited Mrs. Sadler's parents, Sunday. Mrs. Sadler and daughter remained for a visit.

Marshall Hirsch, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Marshall, who has spent the summer here, returned to Cape Girardeau, preparatory to entering school.

Mrs. Charles Murphy had as her guest Saturday night, Mrs. Montgomery and little daughter and Mrs. Hatcher of Chaffee, Joe Hatcher of Cape Girardeau and Mrs. Florence James and children.

Those who attended the queen drawing at Benton Friday night were Misses Louise Peal, Jeanette Graham, Maxine Pearman, Mrs. Clarence Sadler, Woodrow and Robert Graham, Harold Cope and Mr. and Mrs. Godwin.

Miss Blanche Boardman and Hugh Blake of Granite City, Ill., visited the past two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Boardmen. They returned home Saturday. Miss Blanche is a student at the St. Elizabeth Hospital.

158 FAMILIES UNDER CARE OF RED CROSS

Butler County Chapter of the American Red Cross had 158 families under its care during the month of August, according to a case worker's report recently submitted to the Butler County Court.

Of the cases handled, 116 were civilian, with 101 resident, 15 transient and 42 ex-service. One hundred and sixty-five office interviews and home visits were made. Of these, 142 were office interviews, 22 were home visits and 4 were reference visits.

Food and clothing were furnished 40 families. Hospital care was secured in four cases, medical care in 6 cases and information was obtained in 21 instances. Seven ex-service men were assisted in filling out pension papers.

Unemployment led the problems with which the local Red Cross organization was confronted, with tuberculosis in second place.

Miss B. McDaniels, newly appointed executive secretary, is now in active charge of the local office, with headquarters in the basement of the courthouse building.—Poplar Bluff Republican.

The Sikeston Standard $1.50.

THE FARMER VS. THE MILLIONAIRE

The poor old farmer! How sorry we feel for him! He trudges along daily from early morn until twilight, trying to make an honest living and pay his taxes. he industrial worker puts in eight hours per day with a half holiday on Saturday, but the farmer is on duty every day—no chance for him to demand shorter hours and higher wages.

If he makes a good crop, the selling price of it stays low until the bulk of the crop gets into the hands of the wealthy. When it is finally sold to the consumer, the man who needs the money the least generally makes the most profit. The nancier gains more from handling the crop than the farmer profits for his wearisome summer's toil.

Yes, the farmer is abused and has a right to complain, which right he exercises occasionally. But will complaining give relief? The "Amalgamated Industries and What-Have-You" do not depend on complaining. They act, and get action. That's why they get more than their share of what is due them. They not only see that their rights are protected, but they also impose on the rights of the farmer and the owner of personal property and real estate.

The farmer has a lot to SAY about the injustices wished off on him, but doesn't DO anything about it. And we are constrained to believe that our worthy farmers will remain a down-trodden class of people until they arouse themselves to concerted ACTION and see that the lawmakers recognize their needs.

In order to do this, the farmer must keep himself informed. He must read more than the local news and the latest gossip. Without a working knowledge of the situation, he cannot do constructive work in bettering conditions.

Only the other day a farmer dangled a circular in his hand, which had been given to him to enlighten him concerning the proposed reduction of property taxes, as outlined by the State Survey Commission.

When asked what this circular was about, he replied, "Just a scheme to get somebody a job". He did not consider this circular seriously enough to try to understand it.

AGAIN KONJOLA GIVES PROOF OF ITS WORTH

Practical Nurse Says Famed Medicine Is Winning Stubborn Fight against Neuritis And Rheumatism.



MRS. S. E. EVANS

"For seven years I tried first one medicine and then another in an effort to free myself from the clutches of neuritis and rheumatism", said Mrs. S. E. Evans, 28th and Payton Streets, Little Rock. "I am a practical nurse and tried everything I knew about or that was recommended, but all to no avail. The agonizing pains of those ailments just getting worse right along.

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The truth is that taxes on property will be cut as much as $1.16 in some cases) if the proposals of the Survey Commission are put into effect by the next legislature. And it is up to the property owners to insist that their State representatives and senators take a militant part in putting over this desired legislation.

It is imperative that farmers and property owners wake up, throw aside the veils of prejudice and suspicion, and study these tax-reduction proposals in order to be able to make an intelligent fight for them. This course will net results, whereas complaining will only aggravate the situation.

This tax adjustment plan will be the biggest thing that ever happened to redeem rural Missouri from the chains of unjust and vicious taxation. It will cut the tax of the farmer and raise the income tax of the millionaire.

We may say more about details later.—Milus R. Davis.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Default having been made for more than six months in payment of dues and interest secured by note described in deed of trust executed by William H. Tanner and his wife, Rivers Tanner, dated February Twentieth, Nine Hundred Twenty-Six, and recorded on the Twenty-sixth day of February, Nineteen Hundred Twenty-six, in office of Recorder of Deeds for Scott County, Missouri, at Benton, Missouri, in Book number 51, at page number 101, conveying to undersigned the following described real estate and improvements thereon, in the County of Scott, State of Missouri, to-wit:

All of Lots number Fifteen (15) and Sixteen (16) in Block number Fifty-seven (57) of McCoy and Tanner's 9th Addition to the Town or City of Sikeston, Missouri, according to the recorded plat thereof, and all improvements thereon.

Now in accordance with the terms and conditions of said note and deed of trust and the legal holder and owner of said note and deed of trust having declared the whole debt due as secured thereby, I will, at the request of said legal holder and owner, on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16th, 1930

between the hours of 9:00 a. m. and 5:00 p. m. of said day sell the above described property to the highest bidder for cash at the Front Door of the Post Office in the Town or City of Sikeston, Scott County, Missouri, for the purpose of satisfying said debt and costs.

LEE B. EWING, Trustee

Pub. Aug. 22, 29, Sept. 5, 12, '30.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Default having been made for more than six months in payment of dues and interest secured by note described in deed of trust executed by William H. Tanner and his wife, Rivers Tanner, dated March Twentieth, Nineteen Hundred Twenty-six, and recorded on the Thirteenth Day of April, Nineteen Hundred Twenty-six, in office of Recorder of Deeds for Scott County, Missouri, at Benton, Missouri, in Book number 51, at Page number 110, conveying to undersigned the following described real estate and improvements thereon, in the County of Scott, State of Missouri, to-wit:

All of Lot number Fourteen (14), and all in the East Half of Lot number Thirteen (13), all in Block number Fifty-seven (57), of McCoy and Tanner's Ninth Addition to the Town or City of Sikeston, Missouri, according to the recorded plat thereof, and all improvements thereon.

Now in accordance with the terms and conditions of said note and deed of trust and the legal holder and owner of said note and deed of trust having declared the whole debt due as secured thereby, I will, at the request of said legal holder and owner, on

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Notice of Stockholders' Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the annual stockholders' meeting of the Sikeston Gin Co. will be hed in the offices of the Bank of Sikeston, Sikeston, Mo., on September 13th, 1930 at 8 o'clock p. m. and continue until the business for which said meeting is called has been transacted.

The purpose for which this meeting is called is to elect officers and directors for the ensuing year and for any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MORLEY

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Porter visited in Benton Sunday.

Mrs. Maud Daugherty and daughters shopped in Cape Girardeau, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Lee and son, Tommy, shopped and visited in Cape Girardeau Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Englehart and son of Matthews visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Foster, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hutchason of Tanner visited their daughter, Mrs. Robert Darter, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Miller and family visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Leslie, Sunday.

Mrs. M. E. Wyatt and Leland Hill of Dexter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Darter Thursday.

The Missouri Pacific train was derailed Sunday afternoon somewhere north of here, causing a five-hour delay.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Harris and daughters, Mrs. J. O. Huffstedler and daughter shopped in Sikeston Saturday.

Mr. Burdon, coach at Will Mayfield College, spent Sunday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stallings.

Rev. C. W. Miller and Alden Stallings left Monday morning for Marble Hill to enter Will Mayfield College.

C. D. Cummins is suffering with a bone felon on his right hand, which necessitated his having a driver this week.

Miss Mabel Caughlin, who teaches at Kennett, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Caughlin.

Rev. Joe Percent, an Indian evangelist preached to a very appreciative audience at the Baptist church, Sunday morning.

Rev. J. W. Jeffries preached an interesting sermon at the Baptist Church Sunday night. Bro. Jeffries is president of Will Mayfield College and an able speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sikes of Ste. Genevieve, Mrs. Chas. Carter and Mrs. Dolph Sikes of Oran visited at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Foster and C. A. Stallings, Monday.

Miss Wilma Raigains of the Sikeston faculty was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Raigains. She was accompanied by Miss Dorothea Miller of Marble Hill.

The Eastern Star resumed its regular meetings, the second and fourth Tuesday nights of each month, with the meeting of Tuesday night, September 9, after a suspension of two months during the hot weather.

L. W. Revelle, C. A. Stallings, Mesdames Harris Foster, Lutie Les-Ralph Vaughn and J. R. Lee, Jr., lie, C. W. Miller, Maud Daugherty, Ralph Vaughn, J. W. Payton, R. H. Leslie and C. A. Stallings were among the number attending the Baptist Association at Gravel Ridge in Mississippi County, Tuesday and Wednesday.

HERMAN BUTLER WINS RINK HONORS MONDAY

Untimely spills on the part of Paul "Snake" Crain, Gilbert Clinton and Woodrow Hardin, sent Herman Butler across the finish tape a split second ahead of Stanley McElroy for speed honors at the local skating rink last Monday night. McElroy was defending his honors won last Saturday.

Hardin led in the 10-lap event until he tumbled and lost his advantage. Gilbert Clinton hit the floor at a turn and sent Crain into the lead with Butler. Crain and the champ outdistanced McElroy and Butler finished a half second in the lead.

The contests are open to everyone. Cash prizes will be awarded to winners in the finals.

CONDUCT RELIGIOUS MEETING IN VANDUSER NEIGHBORHOOD

The Rev. James Hootin, assisted by Ramond Hency and Nick Frey, have charge of a revival meeting at Vanduser, which started Sunday, September 7. The subjects of Regeneration, divine healing and other interesting matters are being treated. Rev. Hootin declares that he is not preaching Hootinism, Hencyism, or any other "ism", but that he is delivering the Word of God from the Bible. The meeting will last indefinitely.

REVIVAL IN PROGRESS THIS WEEK IN BERTRAND

Old-time preaching and singing is on the program in Bertrand this week in a large tent tabernacle. Rev. Frank Hetzel, evangelist extends an invitation to everyone to attend the nightly meetings. Services begin at 7:30 o'clock.

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4.50/20 (29x4.50) Chevrolet 6	8.40	6.27	11.60	9.63
4.50/21 (30x4.50) Chevrolet, Ford A	8.75	6.33	12.00	9.72
4.75/19 (28x4.75) Durant, Whippet, Ford	9.35	7.52	12.40	10.23
4.75/20 (29x4.75) Chrysler, Erskine, Plymouth, Pontiac	10.10	7.53	12.80	11.22
5.00/19 (29x5.00) DeSoto, Dodge, Durant, Graham, Marmon, Pontiac, Roosevelt, Whippet, Willys-Knight	10.45	7.97	13.25	11.73
5.00/20 (30x5.00) Essex, Nash	10.80	8.12	13.60	11.92
5.00/21 (31x5.00) Essex, Nash, Oldsmobile	11.25	8.43	14.10	12.38
5.25/18 (28x5.25) Auburn, Chrysler, Oldsmobile, Reo	11.75	8.96	14.60	11.63
5.25/19 (29x5.25) Graham, Marmon, Peerless	12.20	9.17	14.90	13.15
5.25/20 (30x5.25) Auburn, Chrysler, Durant, Hupmobile, Nash, Oakland, Oldsmobile, Studebaker	12.60	9.38	15.40	13.62
5.25/21 (31x5.25) Buick, Dodge, Franklin, Hupmobile, Nash, Studebaker	12.95	9.73	15.95	14.13
5.50/18 (28x5.50) Auburn, Chrysler	13.00	9.87	15.85	13.62
5.50/19 (29x5.50) Dodge, Graham, Hupmobile, Marmon, Nash, Oakland, Peerless, Studebaker, Willys-Knight	13.40	9.92	16.45	14.13
5.50/20 (30x5.50) Buick, Studebaker	13.65	10.17	17.40	15.12
6.00/18 (30x6.00) Auburn, Chrysler, Reo	14.35	10.72	17.50	16.27
6.00/19 (31x6.00) Dodge, Franklin, Hudson, Hupmobile, Marmon, Peerless, Willys-Knight	14.70	10.97	18.05	16.63
6.00/20 (32x6.00) Dodge, Franklin, Hupmobile, Nash, Packard, Peerless, Studebaker, Willys-Knight	15.15	11.37	18.40	17.07
6.00/21 (33x6.00) Buick, Hudson, Hupmobile, Nash	15.65	11.72	19.00	17.43
6.50/18 (30x6.50) Auburn, Reo	—	—	21.50	18.25
6.50/19 (31x6.50) Franklin, Graham, LaSalle, Studebaker	—	—	21.75	18.92
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SIKESTON MUNICIPAL LIGHT PLANT BOND ISSUE UPHELD BY STATE SUPREME COURT

A special dispatch to The Standard through the Poplar Bluff office of the Associated Press, confirmed a few moments later by a telegram from the clerk of the Supreme Court sent to Roger Bailey, City Attorney, stated that the Missouri Supreme Court this (Thursday) morning had issued a writ mandamus compelling the State auditor to register the Sikeston municipal light plant bond issue in the amount of $150,000.

On April 1 Sikeston went to the polls after an intensive campaign for and against a municipal light plant and voted on the $150,000 bond issue to make the plant a reality in this city.

Various opinions were circulated immediately following the official vote tabulation. In the opinion of the law firm of Benjamin H. Charles, St. Louis bond attorneys, the proposition carried. The count stood 1240 "yes" votes and 517 "no" votes. The poll books, however, gave the total votes cast on the bond issue proposition as 1886, a difference of 129 mutilated or discarded ballots.

The city found itself in an embarrassing position with reference to the legality of the issue, when the time arrived to sell bonds. The issue was subsequently purchased subject, however, to an opinion by the Supreme Court on the legality of the vote.

In the meantime, Roger Bailey, city attorney, and the law firm of Benjamin H. Charles filed a brief with the Supreme Court asking that the State Auditor be compelled to register the bonds. In non-technical language this gave an opportunity to review in detail the entire election in a friendly test suit.

The writ of mandamus issued by the Court Thursday morning removed the last obstacle in the way of issuance of the bonds. The City Council will meet in special session in the near future to act in accordance with the decision, and prepare to carry out the wishes of the voters expressed in the April 1 election.

AN ICE BOX ROBBERY COSTLY TO GEO. DYE

A hungry housebreaker gained entrance to the back door of the Dye Hotel Wednesday night or early Thursday morning and removed a side of sliced bacon, one boiled ham, and four bottles of milk from the refrigerator. Not content with the makings of a full meal, the prowler boldly entered the bed room in which Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dye were asleep, and removed a billfold containing between $15 and $20 in bills, and pocketed a first class Elgin watch and a pocket knife.

Mrs. Dye estimated the time of the visit as between 12 o'clock midnight and 3:00 o'clock Thursday morning. The police have no clues.

It is believed that the visitor used an apron worn by one of the dining room girls in which to wrap his loot. The apron was placed as usual behind the kitchen door. It was missing Thursday morning.

Whoever raided the ice box had plenty of nerve, the Dye family is convinced. A filling station operated in connection with the Hotel is open all night.

FRED JONES BUYS SOLE INTEREST IN GROCERY FIRM

The former Farris-Jones Grocery Company of this city will, in the future, be owned and managed by Fred Jones exclusively. A deal in which partners of Jones sold their interests in the business was closed last week, placing him in the position of sole owner.

Mr. Jones has been unable to attend to his duties this week, due to illness. He hopes, however, to be actively engaged within a week. In the meantime, the store is being managed by his wife.

BOWLING LEAGUE TO GET UNDERWAY HERE SEPT. 15

The organization meeting of the Sikeston Bowling League held last Tuesday night at the Heisler-Littleton parlors led to the formation of an eight-team league and a play schedule which will get underway next Monday night.

The schedule follows:

Monday, September 15—Scott Co. Milling Co. vs. Highway No. 2.

Tuesday, September 16.—Littletons vs. Shoe Factory.

Wednesday, September 17.—Merchants vs. Nu-Way Cleaning Co.

Friday, September 19.—Limbaugh Dentist vs. Highway No. 1.

WOMAN'S CLUB MEETING

A called meeting of the Board of Directors was held at the home of the President, Mrs. J. N. Ross, Wednesday afternoon.

The purpose of this meeting was to elect a chairman of social and program after the resignation of Mrs. Arch Russell had been accepted.

Mrs. C. C. White was elected to succeed Mrs. Russell. Mrs. Raymond Burns and Mrs. Russell will assist Mrs. White in compiling the year book which they hope to have completed the first meeting of the Club on the second Tuesday in October.

Ben Blanton, with the Public Service Commission at Jefferson City, arrived in Sikeston Tuesday afternoon to spend a couple of days with homefolks.

Joe Albright returned to Memphis to enter the fall term of West Tennessee State Teachers' College, after spending ten days with homefolks and friends.

CAPE NORMAL SCHOOL OPENS NEXT TUESDAY

The Southeast Missouri State Teachers' College will open its 57th session on Tuesday, September 16. This is freshman orientation day, set aside for the enrollment of freshmen only. The program will begin at 8 o'clock with an assembly followed by enrollment and a visit about the buildings and grounds of the institution. A group of upper classmen have volunteered to help to make this day worth while to all incoming freshmen. Wednesday, September 17 is the day for enrollment of upper classmen and first classes will be held Thursday, the 18th. From present indications, there will be one of the largest incoming classes in the history of the institution.

New members of the faculty are W. J. Hamilton, formerly of Fulton who will teach history; Miss Margaret Gordon of McAlister, Oklahoma, who will teach modern languages; Miss Harriet Ume Chaplin of St. Louis, teacher of physical education. During the leave of absence of John H. Gehrs, who is a candidate for the office of State superintendent of Schools, E. A. Rockefair, formerly of this institution and more recently at the University of Wisconsin will head the department of agriculture in place of Mr. Gehrs.

Coach George H. Flamank called his football material together for first practice, September 8. He was greatly encouraged at the squad that presented itself. He had nine letter men who with their experience will probably be the main strength of the team. Unfortunately, however, there are few back field men in this group and he will have to build up a back field with new material. Forty-six men presented themselves for uniforms the first call and indications are the squad will number 60 for the season. Coach Flamak will have the assistance and experience of Director of Athletic Courleux who has been the coach for so many years and for punting, C. P. Harris, director of athletics at the Training School. Harris was one of the best kickers the college ever developed. Within three weeks of the battle with Carbondale, it will be a task to whip this green material into shape. Many high school stars, however, are in the incoming class.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM NEW MADRID

Miss Dot Willis of Kennett was the guest of Miss Clara Standley, over the week-end.

Miss Geraldine DeLisle spent the week-end in Charleston, the guest of Miss Thelma Stanfill.

Otis Dowdy, employed on the new high school building, is spending the week at his home in Dexter.

E. S. White, accompanied by his brother, Glen White, both of the government fleet, motored to Cooter, Sunday and spent the day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. White.

Watch, Clock, Jewelry Repairing

"That Satisfies"

Johnson Jewelry Shop

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SIKESTON, MO.

George Boone, Herman Crisler and Bud LaFont attended the Malone Theatre in Sikeston Sunday evening.

Guy Haskins, Jr., was in New Madrid Tuesday morning looking after business matters at the Haskins Gin.

Charles Jackson, of the government fleet, is spending several days this week in Cairo, looking after business matters.

Misses Geraldine DeLisle and Clara Standley, motored to the former's home in Portageville Tuesday and spent the evening.

Wm. Milner of Newburn, Tenn., arrived this week to accept a position as bookkeeper in the cotton gin belonging to G. D. Haskins, of Malden.

Miss Vivian Boone left the latter part of the week for San Antonio, Texas to accompany home her two nephews, George and Dawson Boone, who spent the summer here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boone, and other relatives.

The speedboat, Baby Lee II, racing from New Orleans to St. Louis in an effort to beat the record made by Dr. LeRoy of Memphis, Tenn., in the Bogie, passed New Madrid and 11:55 a. m. Monday. It was thought to be traveling at a speed of about 30 miles per hour and did not stop here.

Among those who attended the boat excursion at Caruthersville Friday from New Madrid were: Misses Agnes Hunter, Mildred Fields, Alice Berryman, Pansy Harris, Aileen LaFont and Charles Jackson, Ed White, Harmon Estham, Ted Eisan, Evans Copeland and Herman Crisler.

Mrs. Robert Cheshire, who has spent the past month here with her husband, who is employed with the government, left for her home in Memphis, Tenn., Sunday. She was accompanied by her husband, who will remain in Memphis for several days before returning to his work here.

Miss Clara Standley, graduate nurse, has been sent to the County Health Department by the State Board of Health for a period of four months to assist the permanent nurse, Miss Clara Drinkwater. One thousand typhoid vaccinations were made by the Health Department during the month of August.

NAZARENS CLOSE THREE-WEEK REVIVAL AT MATTHEWS

Rev. S. W. Mainord of Cape Girardeau closed a successful Nazarene revival series at Matthews this week. The meetings have been conducted regularly for the past three weeks and led to forty-three conversions.

NEW MADRID COUNTY REAL ESTATE NEWS

D. L. Poplin and R. T. Poplin to W. E. Patten: E½ 34-22-13. $1.

Franklin American Trust Co. to Effie Waters and L. D. Waters: Lots 1-4, blk. 3; also lots 3-4, blk. 2, Matthews 1st add. to Matthews. $1.

Roscoe Weltecke and Hazel Weltecke to S. H. Hampton: Lot 15, rng. B, City of Lilbourn. $1.

A. O. Allen and Maude Allen to Mrs. Annie Wright: E part of lot 9, blk. 15, Morehouse. $100.

Roy E. Lucas and Cecil N. Lucas to E, containing 80 acres: Also 232.82a Robt. W. Stokes: S½ lot 1, 19-23-11 19-23-11, East, $400.

Marriage License

Charles W. Overall and Irene Dossett, both of New Madrid.

Billy Malone and Charles Allen Cook will entertain their dancing club at the Hotel Marshall this Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Layton and Miss Greer of Morehouse were visitors at the G. J. Layton home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Wallace Applegate and mother, Mrs. Emma Kendall and Mrs. Ella Old drove to Commerce Wednesday and visited relatives.

Mrs. Lute Jackson and daughter, Miss Vivian, Miss Lucille Finley, Joe Fennimore and Harry Thomason spent the week-end in Memphis.

The many friends of Mrs. Annie Winchester will be pleased to hear that she is much improved. Mrs. Winchester has been quite sick at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Stokes, at Mayfield, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson were delightfully surprised Tuesday evening, when 12 couples arrived with well filled baskets and gave them a house warming in their new home. A very enjoyable time was had by those present.

Mrs. O. T. Elder accompanied the dance class to Charleston Thursday following members of Miss Ryker's to take part in an entertainment given for the teachers: The Marshall sisters, Isabell and Helen, Mary Emma Powell, Lillian Rita Derris, Esther Jane Greer, Emily Blanton, Margaret Bowman, Mary Boyer and Helen Vera Dudley.

DR. SPENCER AT THE FIRST BAPTIST SUNDAY

Dr. Lee B. Spencer of Shawnee, Okla., will preach at both services at the First Baptist church of this city next Sunday. Dr. Spencer is familiar with religious conditions in the South and will have many interesting and important things to tell the people of Sikeston at these services. His morning theme will be "What Is Your Life?" He will be governed at the morning hour as to just what subject to discuss at the evening hour. He hopes for a large congregation, and extends a cordial invitation to all whose duty does not call them elsewhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Helm of St. Louis spent the week-end with Judge Carroll and family.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Spalding, who was the guest of Mrs. Charles D. Matthews III, left for Kentucky, Sunday, where she will visit before going to Northwestern University at Evanston, Ill.

Malone Theatre, Sikestoe

Sunday and Mondsy

Sept. 14-15

Afternoon and Evening

Her beauty means success to her husband--she wants love!



RUTH CHATTERTON and CLIVE BROOK

"Anybody's Woman"

A Paramount Picture

The gorgeous star of "Charming Sinners, "Madame X," "Sarah and Son" in her greatest role.

PATHE NEWS and Comedy—"THE SHRIMP".

Matinee Sunday—2:30 Mon.—3:00

C. E. Felker, County Treasurer, is back from California, where he went to accompany his family back to Sikeston. Mrs. Felker and the children have spent the summer in that State.

Weeks Theatre

Dexter, Missouri

SUNDAY, MONDAY, SEPT. 14-15

Matine 2:30 p. m. Night 7:30 p. m.

Admission 15c and 35c

Joan Crawford in "THE BLUSHING BIDES" if you like Joan don't miss this picture. She's better than ever.

NEWS and ACT

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 16-17

Bebe Daniels with Lowell Sherman in "LAWUL LARCENY". A thrill for every woman who ever loved. Do not miss it! Also TALKING COMEDY

Admission 15c and 35c

FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SEPT. 19-20

George O'Brien in "LAST OF THE DUANES". Now running at Fox Theatre. Also Talking Comedy—"HO TDOG" & Cartoon—"AN OLD PLANE. Adm. 10c and 25c



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A. R. (Barney) FOWLER

Corner Malone and New Madrid

Rear Dye Service Station

Mrs. Ted Martin returned Wednesday from Poplar Bluff, where she visited with her sister, Mrs. Fred Forby.

Mrs. Stewart McNair of Chicago is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Lillie McGee at Kewanee. Mrs. McNair was formerly Miss Corinne McGee.

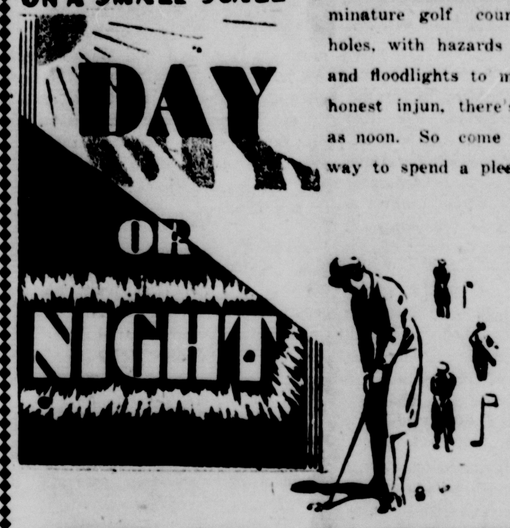
Lyman Bowman was a business visitor to New Orleans, La., this week.

Mrs. Dora Montgomery will join her mother and sister in St. Louis Friday and then go to Toledo, Ohio to visit a sister. Mrs. Montgomery will be out of the city for a week.

WE-WAY

Miniature GOLF

A REAL GAME ON A SMALL SCALE



What if you can't leave the office till the sun goes to bed? Darkness makes "no never mind" on our minature golf course. Eighteen holes, with hazards 'n everything and floodlights to make it bright honest injun, there's no better as noon. So come out tonight, way to spend a pleasant evening.

TONIGHT—FRIDAY—OPEN TOURNAMENT NIGHT

Saturday and Sunday Special

Lady Free With Every Gentleman Playing

GEO. L. DYE, Prop.



Where the Monette Baseball Team Will Dine

The baseball player who is keen for good food, wide variety from which to choose and prompt service that takes cognizance of his valuable minutes, finds kindred company here. You people of Sikeston who dine out Sunday, why not partake of the special chicken dinner for this Sunday?

SHEPPARD'S CAFE

In Our New Home on Malone Ave.

INDOOR SPORTS

That Require Real Skill



A STEADY hand, a keen eye and good judgment. They're a real asset in a game of pocket billiards or a line of bowling. You'll find true sport amidst congenial surroundings here. Drop in for an evening's recreation.

Alleys have been reconditioned for the opening of the 1930-31 bowling season.

Play the New Golf Game On Table No. 4

Heisler & Littleton Recreation Parlor

Center Street Sikeston, Mo.

SIKESTON STANDARD

C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

ISSUED TUESDAY AND FRIDAY AT SIKESTON, MISSOURI

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The Supreme Court of Missouri Thursday morning upheld the popular verdict expressed six months ago by Sikeston in the matter of the municipal light plant bonds. The legal tangle as to what is a vote was finally unraveled and Sikeston stands ready to proceed barring unforseen legal technicalities which may or may not be thrown in the way of early completion of the plant.

According to Mayor N. E. Fuchs, the City Council will be called to meet Monday night to take action in the matter and to start the ball rolling. Sikeston has waited long and patiently for the legal phase of the proposition to clear up. The City as far as its elected representatives are concerned, is now ready to act.

It might be well to mention at this point that it seems improbable that the tax levy recently passed to raise funds to pay accumulated interest on the bond issue WILL BE COLLECTED. It will not be necessary.

Under the terms of the contract, the bonding company purchasing the issue will pay all interest from the date of the bonds to the time when actual cash is transferred to the City's checking account here. In that case the first interest period will have passed, and local tax payers will have escaped the first bogyman so carefully outlined by opponents of the proposition. In any event only a fraction of the original amount would have to be collected, covering the interest bearing period from the present until the first of next year, and that is improbable, also.

We can think of no reason why the City plant cannot be in operation six months from today, and why, incidently the next interest payment on bonds cannot be made out of revenue of the plant, as promised when the issue came up for consideration this spring.

Members of the Council are considering at this time a proposed rejection of the first bid on the bonds in favor of a second offer which will in round figures net the City $27,000. In this disconnected sketch of the proposition, we also mention the hope that the City Council will soon enter into communication with engineering firms so that bids for the plant can be advertised, and actual construction work started this fall. Labor will not be an item to be discarded with a shrug of the shoulders, and we voice the sentiment of the man on the street, we believe, by urging that whenever possible local labor be employed in construction work on the plant and distributing system. Many of the "yes" votes for the plant came from the boys who wear blue chambray shirts and overalls, and out of fairness to them, we suggest that they be given an opportunity to work if they so desire.

Quite naturally we feel elated over the Supreme Court decision. In choosing sides over this moot question, The Standard assumed the view that Sikeston would be materially benefited by owning and manging its own plant; that it could better afford a white way, and maintain to better advantage and lower net operating cost, its own distributing and street lighting system. This publication maintained and now maintains, lest their be any doubt, that the City will in the long run, save money with a municipally owned and operated plant We have confidence in the City Council and in civic leaders to the extent of entrusting the expenditure of $150,000 for this plant, and to the extent of finding capable and honest men to operate the plant once it is in operation.

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In court at Jackson, Wednesday, Isom Welker, 24, a shoe factory worker of Cape Girardeau, pleaded guilty to a charge of driving an automobile while intoxicated and was sentenced by Judge Kelly to serve two years in the State penitentiary. This sort of medicine should cure drunken drivers. Congratulations to Judge Kelly.

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The South no sooner gets rid of Cole Bease, a representative in the United States Senate from South Carolina, a blatherskite of the first water, than in jumps Gov. Huey Long of Louisiana, a rough neck, who defeated Senator Ransdall, a high protection Democrat, who, at least, is a gentleman. We are hoping that Tom Heflin will be snowed under at the November election. He is a disgrace to any section of the United States. It may be, though, that some other roughneck will "get" Long before he enters the Senate.

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Prices count, and it will pay to read every advertisement carried in The Standard this issue. A penny means little, but several of them will buy a loaf of bread.

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Senator Pat Harrison of Mississippi will speak at Springfield, Mo., Saturday, September 20, according to a telegram received by Miss Catherine Blanton Thursday forenoon. Mrs. Harrison is with him and they expect to return by Sikeston and pick up Catherine and take her with them to Mississippi.

Mrs. Everett Hall of Bible Grove, Ill., is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Coleman and family.

Midshipman Robert M. Wilbur (Bob), who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilbur, for the past ten days, left Wednesday morning for Plant City, Fla., where he will visit his sisters, Mesdames L. J. Prosser, Jr., and M. P. Clark, for the rest of his September leave, returning to the U. S. Naval Academy September 26. Bob has completed three years' studies at the Naval Academy and will graduate next June.

Lair Store News

Furniture--Undertaking

Our 33d Year in Charleston

Extra Values Always on Tap
Moore's Three Way Heaters
($77.50 last season)

$65.00

Moore's Air Tight Heaters
$75.00 last season)

$60.00

Cole's Hot Blast Heaters
(Keeps fire 48 hours)

$38.50

Lot Moore's Air Tight used heaters all thoroughly rebuilt as low as

$30.00

Pretty 9x12 Felt Base Rugs
(no seconds)

$6.95

12 ft. Linoleum, no defects

$1.00

Stove squares, 4½ ft.

$2.00

Several slightly used electric Radios, standard brands, low cost

Monarch, Foster, Enterprise ranges best in the country—plenty of time to pay.

Beautiful Axminster Rugs

$39.50

Scads of used items like dining tables, iron beds, cook stoves, davenette suites, etc., less than half price of new.

See the new novelties in Jumbo Elephants, sleeping cats with kitties, smokers, combination lamp sets, etc.

Malone Theatre, Sikeston

Sunday and Monday
Sept. 14.15
Afternoon and Evening



RUTH CHATTERTON and CLIVE BROOK in "Anybody's Woman" a Paramount Picture

Dramatic TNT! A blast of fiery emtion-torn action! Romanc ein the raw!

Directed by the woman director who made "Sarah and Son", Dorothy Arzner

PATHE NEWS and Comedy—"THE SHRIMP"

Matinees Sunday 2:30, Monday 3:00

VISITOR TO ITALY ENTERTAINS LIONS

Miss Geneva Drinkwater of Charleston, University of Chicago graduate and student during post-graduate days in Italy last year, entertained the local Lions Club at the weekly luncheon meeting Thursday.

Miss Drinkwater talked for nearly forty-five minutes and in an informal, friendly and impartial discussion reviewed the rise of Mussuloni to power in Italy. She described with some emphasis upon detail actual governmental conditions, and life as such under the regime of the Facisti.

Those who dream of youthful revolt and of sudden rise to prominence would have enjoyed Miss Drinkwater's treatment of Mussuloni. Eight years ago the young Italian was practically unknown. During the war he received the personal congratulation of the king of Italy for bravery. Mussuloni was a newspaper reporter, and before he accepted the plaudits of his king informed this high personage of his socialistic ideals. He was congratulated nevertheless.

A few years later he assumed the dictatorship of Italy and is now the unquestioned ruler. The king still exists also, but he is practically shorn of political power.

All of the known tricks of leadership are known to and used by Mussuloni, the Lions and guests were informed.

Followers of the Mussuloni regime have a uniform, a salute, a password and a badge. Each recruit swears a solemn oath of allegiance. It is power built upon youth.

Governmental interference with or control of every phase of life in Italy was mentioned. Economically, politically and socially there is governmental regulation. A truce exists with reference to the Pope and matters religious, but nearly every other phase of life comes under the regulatory eye of the government. The press is censored, as are all private sources of communication; industry is regulated; youth is trained; education supervised.

Miss Drinkwater gave her views to the assembly as would a student of Italian affairs and not as one bent upon criticising or condemning. It was a most profitable lecture in the estimation of the Club and the expressed sentiment of Lion President, Lee Bowman.

CONTINENTAL CO. TO BUILD STATION

The contract for construction a modern service station for the Continental Oil Company was awarded Wednesday afternoon to Roscoe Weltecke, building contractor of this city. Mr. Weltecke's office informs us that actual work on the project was scheduled to begin Friday morning. The lot is located on Kingshighway adjacent to the Faultless Cleaners plant in the Del Rey Building.

The Continental Company recently completed a modern wholesale storage plant near the Frisco Station, and with the completion of the outlet plant uptown will enter the retail distributing business in Sikeston. The service station proper will be 15x22 feet, and will be modern in every detail.

Mrs. H. E. Blackburn of Poplar Bluff is spending the week with Mrs. Ed Albright.

FOR SALE—Pipeless furnace, good condition. Reasonable. Call 385.

SHOE REPAIR



Parents

We can save you many a dollar during the coming school term if you will let us keep your children's shoes repaired. As a rule our soles outwear the uppers, meaning that you get full value for your shoe value.

Ables Shoe Hospital

INVITE PROMINENT LEGIONNAIRES HERE

Among the prominent Legionnaires of Missouri invited to attend a banquet of welcome for the new State Commander, H. C. Blanton, scheduled for next Wednesday night at the Hotel Marshall are: Grant Frye, district commander of Cape Girardeau, H. H. Lark of Steeleville, P. J. Robinette of Hartville, Jack Hammonds of Cape Girardeau and Vic Drum of Columbia.

The local Legion Post together with members of the Auxiliary and their husbands will be sponsors of the banquet here. Besides being an official welcome for the newly elected State Commander, the meeting will also be concerned with the work of election of officers to carry on the work next year. Legion members are elated over the high honor recently bestowed upon the Sikeston Post through the election of one of their members to the highest position in the State organization, and therefore, are convinced that the coming Legion year will be a banner year in the local organization.

The banquet meeting will begin at 7 o'clock in the Hotel Marshall dining room.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

Whereas, Alf Carr and Ethel Carr, his wife, by their certain deed of trust, dated the 2d day of February, 1930, and recorded in Trust Deed record book 59 at page 157, being one of the land records of Scott County, Missouri, conveyed to M. G. Gresham, the undersigned trustee, all their interest in and to the following described real estate situate, lying and being in the County of Scott and State of Missouri, to-wit:

All of lot Numbered Fifteen (15) in Block Numbered Thirteen (13) in the Chamber of Commerce Addition to the City of Sikeston, in Scott County, Missouri.

Also

All of Lot Numbered Nine (9) in Block Numbered Eighteen (18) in the Chamber of Commerce Addition to the City of Sikeston, in Scott County, Missouri.

Which said conveyance was made to secure the payment of a certain promissory note therein particularly described, and whereas, said note is past due and unpaid, now, therefore, I, at the request of the legal holder of said note and in accordance with the provisions and stipulations of said deed of trust, and by virtue of the authority vested in me by said deed as trustee, hereby give notice that I will on

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3rd, 1930

at the North City Hall door in the town of Sikeston, in the County of Scott, in the State of Missouri, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the above described real estate, for the purpose of paying said note, interest and costs.

Given under my hand this 12th day of September, 1930.

M. G. GRESHAM,
Trustee.

Pub. Sept. 12-19-26, Oct. 3.

5 GAMES ON BULLDOG HOME SCHEDULE

The 1931 grid schedule for the Sikeston High School was announced today by Coach M. C. Cunningham.

OCTOBER—
2—Caruthersville, here.
10—Charleston, here.
17—Chaffee, there.
24—Poplar Bluff, here.
31—Malden, there.

NOVEMBER—
7—Doniphan, here.
15—Cairo, here.
Thanksgiving—Charleston, there.

Twenty-five candidates for positions on the squad are coming out regularly for practice. While the Bulldogs lost several old heads last year through graduation, the lads who will buck the line and fill backfield positions are for the most part experienced.

Cunningham will again place his confidence in a pony backfield and on fast clicking plays.



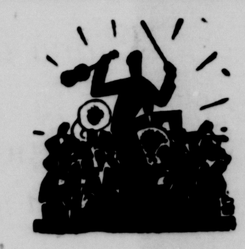
A GOOD Prescription

Many are the dangers of colds from over-heated or underheated rooms; malaria and other infections from bad water; headaches from coal, gas, etc. Your plumber can correct all these by rectifying at the source. We want to be your plumber, and we will be, if you give us the first trial.

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You'll dance, because these music makers with their tinkling tunes and the general spirit of joyousness that prevails at the New Armory drives away all thought of anything but the dance. You'll want to enter into the spirit of the irresistable Ish Blank music . . . and so, YOU'LL dance. Come out with your friends Tuesday night.



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TUESDAY EVE., SEPTEMBER 16th
10 A. M. TILL 2 A. M.

SUTTON BROS.

Grocery and Hardware

55—Phones—121

SIKESTON'S LEADING FOOD MARKET

CHECK THESE WEEK-END BARGAINS



Friend husband will wonder how you ever manage to serve such sumptuous meals on a small food budget. The secret is keeping an eye peeled for bargains. You'll find 'em in our food ads.

Sugar	Pure Cane Granulated	20 lbs. $1.00
Green Beans	Tender Crisp	3 lb. 25c
Cabbage		4 lb. 15c
Corn	Roasting Ears per dozen	30c
HEAD LETTUCE	per pound	15c
RIPE TOMATOES		3 lbs. 20c
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM CHARLESTON

Funeral services were held here Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the First Methodist Church for Mrs. Minnie F. Mitchell, aged 58 years, wife of W. D. Mitchell, owner and manager of the Mitchell Hotel of this city, who died Monday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, at the hotel, following a lingering illness due to cancer.

The deceased was born April 14, 1872 in Webster County, Ky.

In 1891 she was united in marriage to Alexander Wilson, who died three years later. To this union one child was born, a daughter, Mrs. Flora Lemon, who survives.

On November 18, 1921, she was united in marriage to W. D. Mitchell.

Surviving Mrs. Mitchell are her husband, her daughter and two grandchildren, Kathryn and Ivan, Lemon of this city and one brother, E. B. Shelton of Maxwell, New Mexico.

Rev. E. H. Orear conducted the services. Interment was made in Oak Grove Cemetery. Lair Company in charge.

The public schools of this city opened Monday, September 8, under the supervision of Supt. A. D. Simpson. The high school, with Prof. John Harris Marshall as principal, has an enrollment of 210.

The Eugene Field school, with Miss Mable Roberts, principal, has 315 pupils.

The West End school, with Miss Elizabeth Burns as principal, has 120 pupils. Total enrollment is 645.

There are still other pupils who have not yet enrolled.

Sheldon Gentry and Lindsay E. Brown, Jr., have gone to Columbia, where they will enter the University for the winter.

The Kiwanis Club met Monday at the Baptist Service Hall for their regular weekly meeting and six o'clock dinner. Fred and George Naeter, Bob Lampkin and Harry Burdman of Cape Girardeau were guests of the Club. Fred Naeter, who is a member of the Missouri Survey Commission, gave a most interesting talk on that subject. There was a large attendance of the membership.

Miss Vera Largent, who has been the guest of Miss Geneva Drinkwater left Monday for her home in Greensboro, N. C.

Leonard Bryant and Clack Golliday have gone to Murray, Ky., to attend college this winter.

Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Humphrey and Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Chron of Cape Girrardeau and Mrs. Demit Chron of Memphis, Tenn., were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Lash.

Mrs. George E. McFadden and daughter, Miss Kathleen, and Glenn Hutson of this city and Mr. and Mrs. William Tinnell of Poplar Bluff left Tuesday for a motor trip to Kirksville.

Edward Taylor has returned from a visit in Memphis, Tenn.

M. H. Wigdor is spending the week in St. Louis.

Mrs. Paul B. Moore and daughters, Misses Margaret and Joella and Paul Handy Moore have returned from a visit in St. Louis.

THIS WEEK IN MO. HISTORY

(Floyd C. Shoemaker, Sec'y.)

The famous duel between Abiel Leonard and Major Taylor Berry was fought on an island in the Mississippi river, near New Madrid, 106 years ago this week.

Abiel Leonard, after a judge in the Supreme Court of Missouri, was at that time a young lawyer of Howard County, recently appointed State's attorney for his judicial district. He had come to Franklin in 1819 from the East, being a Vermonter by birth, and had already made for himself a recognized place in the bar of Central Missouri. His New England origin set him apart somewhat from the other residents of the community, and it is recorded that he was sometimes referred to as "that Yankee".

Major Berry was a Kentuckian of Virginia parentage who had distinguished himself somewhat in the War of 1812. It is recorded that he was paymaster in the Army, and when General Hull surrendered at Detroit, he saved the public funds by concealing them on his own person and the persons of other officers. In 1815, it appears from a notice in the Missouri Gazette, he was a major in the line, and deputy quartermaster-general for Missouri. The notice refered to, signed by Joseph Charless, was in reply to a handbill circulated by Major Berry, taking the editor to task for "disrespectful remarks" published in the Gazette. Charless' promise thereafter to refer to the major as "Major Taylor Berry, Deputy Quartermaster-General" when "recording any of his achievements in the future" sheds about the only light there is on the contents of Berry's handbill, for it has not been preserved.

Major Berry, the son of Washington and Alice Taylor Berry, married Miss Frances Christy of St. Louis, daughter of Major William Christy, an early American settler of means and influence. Louis Houck writes that "after the close of the war, Berry settled in Franklin. Here in 1823 he was appointed postmaster....." Some accounts call Berry a lawyer, while others refer to him as "a wealthy and influential citizen of Howard county, a man of extensive possessions, a land speculator, who was then dealing in what was known as New Madrid claims. These claims, intended for the relief of New Madrid earthquake victims, were a source of fraud in those days by speculators who bought up the ruined land before the actual sufferers knew of their issue by Congress. Major Berry's connection with them is not clearly established.

The trouble between Leonard and Berry started over a lawsuit at Fayette, in which Leonard was an attorney, and Berry was either an opposing attorney or an interested party. Berry attacked Leonard after court, using a whip, it is said, and the "Yankee" challenged him. The challenge surprised many who doubted Leonard would fight, the more so because of its brief wording, which gave Berry not even the alternative of an apology.

There is some evidence that Berry would have wished another end to the matter. He at least caused delay in its termination. Thomas J. Boggs and Angus Langham, as seconds, arranged the terms, and the time was set for September 1, 1814. The place was "at some point, either in Kentucky, Tennessee, or Arkansas, which shall be most convenient to the town of New Madrid...." Some say Wolf Island was chosen, but Houck writes that another island nearby was the scene.

Leonard was put under bond to keep the peace and only escaped arrest in St. Louis on his way to the island through being impersonated by his second. It took two weeks to go from Howard County to New Madrid by horse.

At 4 p. m., September 1, the parties met. Leonard grazed Berry at the first fire, and, agreement failing, a second fire was taken. Berry was badly wounded, but recovered for a time at New Madrid, until he contracted a cold which caused his death. It is said he wrote a cheerful letter to his wife, who had remained in Howard County, and was for a time able to attend to some business he had in New Madrid.

Leonard returned to Howard county. He was disbarred under the Missouri law against dueling, but was reinstated by a special act of the Legislature soon afterward. He rose to prominence at the bar of central Missouri, which was then the most flourishing in the State outside St. Louis, and later served both in the Legislature and on the Supreme Court of Missouri.

Unionville—Log Cabin Service Station on East Main Street purchased by Morgan Oil Co.

Bowling Green grants 20-year franchise to C. Rhodes Hood, who will organize company to distribute natural gas.

DUTIES OF WEIGHT OFFICER IN DIVISION 10 EXPLAINED

The State Highway Commission recently increased the number of Weight Officers to fifteen—one of these being assigned to Division 10 which is comprised of Bollinger, Butler, Cape Girardeau, Dunklin, Madison, Mississippi, New Madrid, Pemiscot, Ripley, Scott, Stoddard and Wayne Counties.

The duties of this officer are confined to the enforcement of the motor vehicle laws, such as over-widths, over-lengths, overweights, speeding of heavy trucks, delinquent licenses, split licenses, operating motor vehicles with one license plate, no tail lights, defective head lights and other offenses of this nature.

The patrolman will operate in full uniform and carry with him a set of portable hydraulic scales in order that loads may be weighed on the road.

It has been found, in some of the out-lying sections of Missouri, that operators of trucks are not familiar with motor vehicle laws and it will be the duties of the patrolman to explain to the operators, or owners, of the trucks how to determine the rated capacity of their trucks to comply with the law.

The duties of the patrolman are to be of an educational nature, familiarinzing the motoring public with the motor vehicle laws. However, where offenses have been committed maliciously, or where the owner or operator of the motor vehicle refuses to heed the patrolman's warning, prosecution will follow.

C. E. Weekley, who has been an employee of the Highway Department for some time, will operate in Division 10 as Traffic Officer, with headquarters at the Division office in Sikeston.

URGE PAVEMENT OF HIGHWAY 60

Poplar Bluff, September 9.—Advocating immediate paving of Highway No. 60 from Poplar Bluff to Springfield, the U. S. Highway No. 60 Association in session of Mountain Grove yesterday, sent resolutions to the State Highway Commission of Missouri.

Delegates from several States attended the meeting.

It was brought out in the resolutions and in addresses to the delegation that Highway 60 is the only cross-State road south of St. Louis and should receive immediate attention of the highway department.

Poplar Bluffians, for some months, have been advocating pavement of Highway 67 from the Arkansas-Missouri line south to Fredericktown, as the connecting link for the Arkansas highway, the pavement north of Fredericktown.

Local citizens are contending that due to failure of the highway association to complete work on Highway 67, much business from this section, which is due St. Louis, is going to Memphis, Tenn. The St. Louis Chamber of Commerce is expected to cooperate with local business interests in urging pavement of this road at the earliest possible date.—American Republic.

One of the largest construction jobs ever undertaken in Missouri by a private company has just been completed when two giant trenching machines working from the east and west borders of the State met at Midway, Mo., thus finishing a 250-mile conduit trench for the 750,000 cable of the Bell Telephone Company.

MISTAKES DYNAMITE CAPS FOR MARBLES: DOCTORS MAY REMOVE HAND OF LAD, 13

Cape Girardeau, September 8.—Charles Frymire, 13, of near Grassy, finding a box which rattled as if it contained marbles, hammered it on a rock to open it. He is now being treated at a hospital here, his right hand being so badly lacerated that it may be necessary to amputate it.

The box contained dynamite caps which exploded as the box was being hammered against the rock, blowing off two fingers on the boy's right hand, and the ends of two fingers on his left hand.

Further injuries were sustained on the boy's face which was burned.

The National Old Trails Road had its beginning in the effort to build a great national highway stretching from the Atlantic Coast westward to the Mississippi River. The trail across Missouri surveyed by Daniel Boone and his two sons Nathan and Daniel, from St. Charles to Franklin, then became a part of the National Old Trails and is so marked at intervals across the State.



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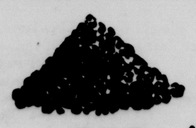
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL FROM MATTHEWS

Schools Have Record Enrollment

Matthews school opened Monday, September 1. Due to it being Labor Day, actual work was started Tuesday with the following teachers: Supt. G. D. Englehart, Principal Statler, of Oak Ridge; Miller of Kentucky; Audrey Barry, Cape Girardeau; Claribel Canoy, Warrensburg; 7-8 grades, B. B. Conrad, Marble Hill, 5-6 grade, Verna King, Matthews; 3-4 grades, Mrs. Thelma Story, Cape Girardeau; 1-2 Thelma Gruen, Canalou; Primary, Mrs. Lillie Zimmer, Matthews. Teachers in the rural school in Matthews Consolidation are: Crowe, George Proffer; White Oak No. 1, Donald Story; Pharris Ridge, William Deane; Noxall, Vada Branstetter; Warner, Frankie Deane; Canoy, Ellis Reed and Willa D. Alsup. The enrollment is the largest that the Matthews schools have ever had. Matthews has very little to boast of but it can with all truth boast of its wonderful school and the fine buildings. We can say the progress of this school is due to our worthy Supt. G. D. Engehart, who has devoted his time for the improvement of our school system and school building for the past four years.

Clifford Reed returned Friday from Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. Thso. Holderby shopped in Sikeston Monday.

Miss Adeline Depro spent Sunday with Miss Ethyl Dunn.

Miss Nota Watkins of Hayti spent the week-end here with friends.

Miss Helen Waters was the dinner guest of Miss Felice Ball, Sunday.

Mesdames Ben Sells and Malcolm Ratcliff shopped in Sikeston Monday.

Mrs. Dickerman of the Crowe District visited with Mrs. Donald Story, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Kerr of New Madrid were Matthews visitors, Sunday.

A big baptising was held at the east ditch Sunday. About fifty people were baptized.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Ball and daughters, Misses Lucille and Felice, were Sikeston visitors Saturday.

Miss Glenda Waters, who is principal at the school, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Waters.

Miss Irene Sutton left Monday for St. Louis, after spending the summer here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunlap and babe of Sarsas, Miss., were guests of the former's father, W. M. Dunlap, several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roe Hill, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Critchlow, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Critchlow and Mrs. Thelma Caldwell enjoyed a fishing trip and picnic at Knott bridge, Friday.

William Roberts left Saturday night for Fayette, where he will enter Central College. His many friends will miss him, but still are proud of the wonderful opportunities that are his. Our best wishes are for him.

Misses Glenda and Helen Waters entertained the C. E. Friday night with a lawn party. A most enjoyable evening was spent by the young folks. At the conclusion of the evening gaities, refreshments were served to about thirty guests.

Virgil Ball, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Ball, is very sick with typhoid fever. This is the third member in this family to have had this fever in the past month. Two other children, Millie and Billie, are able to be up. Dr. G. W. Presnell of Sikeston, has the cases in charges and it is safe to say Virgil will soon be up.

$1 FARM BOARD WHEAT PURCHASED IN BUTLER

Poplar Bluff, September 9.—A carload of wheat ordered last week from the Federal Farm Board by the Butler County Farm Bureau, today was at the railroad yards here and was being distributed among farmers at $1 per bushel.

The car arrived last night and notices were sent out today by the Farm Bureau and County Agent F. H. Darnall, to farmers whom they believed would be interested.

The car contains 1100 bushels. The wheat will be distributed to farmers at cost, and it may be possible that a rebate will be given them, Darnall said. It depends entirely, however, on final checkup of the cost of the wheat.

The Federal Farm Board recognizes farm bureaus through which that board deals with the farmer in handling relief in drouth districts.

Whether another shipment of wheat will be ordered remains to be decided, Darnall said. It depends on the demand for this feed for winter use.

Not a Friend To Talk To

"Isn't business rotten?" he said to Mr. A. "No, it's fine", replied A. "Isn't business rotten?" he asked Mr. B. "No, it's fine", replied Mr. B. Then he met C. D and E; asked each one whether business wasn't rotten, and each one told him it was fine. Having spent the whole morning trying to find someone to cry with him, he finally called it a day, went home, and spent the afternoon in the cellar washing bottles.—Spinal Columns.

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Grind up the end of the roast, adding a raw onion and a green pepper and finaly a crust of bread. Season with salt, pepper and a little ground mace. Mix into this one cup of cream sauce and pour into a buttered casserole. Sprinkle the top with bread crumbs and bake in a moderate oven until brown.

DONATIONS POUR IN FOR NEW SIKESTON CHURCH

The new Sikeston church for working people all over the world, of which Elder John B. Huffman, Chairman of the Pentecostal Church of God, will be the pastor without any salary—just voluntary tithes and free will offerings—is rapidly taking shape in a financial way.

The first contributor to the building fund was Lyle Malone, one of our enterprising citizens who always comes forward to assist a worthy cause. Contributions are now coming in from various parties. We expect donations from several hundred people, but many of them will come from parties outside the city, county and State. Although we have already one contributor of one hundred dollars, we expect to obtain larger donations. But the smallest offering will be received and gratefully acknowledged.

Those who have heard him preach well know that Elder Huffman does not fight any denomination. Good common sense should convince anyone of that fact. We have had representatives of 25 different denominations in our meetings at one time and all were treated with the same courtesy. Every denomination has a right to its own religious views. So, we maintain our own rights when we preach and teach all the Bible and believe it all. Have had ministers of many denominations attend our Bible school.

If we should receive enough money from people all over the United States, we will erect another building and equip it with beds where worthy and destitute men and women, folks out of employment and widows and orphans, can obtain free lodging. Christian man and wife to be overseers of this building. We do the same kind of work rendered by the Salvation Army, only do not receive but a small portion of the money they get. All contributions are obtained from members and from congregation for those in need. We had charge of a church in Minneapolis, Minn., for a time where many unfortunate folks were given free beds and free meals.

Elder Huffman occupies the same position as a Bishop of the Methodist church. Has many churches all over the United States under his direct control and could obtain enough money from them to build a new church or furnish the money himself, but prefers to let the people apply funds for such a worthy cause.

This will be a church for working people, but the most wealthy and refined are cordially invited and urged to attend. We always have a lot of the most prominent people in the State present at our meetings.

We are now ready to receive offerings on the new Sikeston church. Anyone who wants to make a donation can hand it to him or send money direct to Elder John B. Huffman, Box 476, Sikeston. He will put the money in the bank to be used only for the building fund and will give an account of every cent received and expended. A receipt will be given all donors who desire it. The pastor will also make a donation.

The writer may sometime in the future, make requisition on a number of his churches in the Nation for enough money to build a small factory to furnish employment for a number of men and women.

I want especially to thank The Sikeston Standard for so freely donating space to make our church announcements. We will return the favor later on in patronage and printing.

Elder Huffman will preach in front of Sterling's Store again next Saturday afternoon, commencing at 2:30. Everybody invited to hear him. Come and bring the children with you.

I take full responsibility for the articles I have written the past few weeks appearing in this paper. I sign my name to all of them.—John B. Huffman.

WADE TUCKER'S RESIDENCE DESTROYED BY FIRE

At about two o'clock last Sunday morning, parties passing the Wade Tucker residence in the northwest part of the city noticed that it was on fire. They rushed to the house and aroused Mr. Tucker, who barely had time to escape with a portion of his clothing which he grabbed up as he fled from the building.

Mr. Tucker again entered the building and was able to turn in the fire alarm, but by the time the fire department arrived the entire building was ablaze and was soon reduced to ashes. When the fire was discovered the entire rear and south side of the building was ablaze, which failed to arouse Mr. Tucker, who was sleeping in the northeast room of the building. Mrs. Tucker and children were not at home as they were visiting relatives in Tennessee at the time.

This was one of the oldest residences in the city, it formerly being the home of the late R. J. Waters. Mr. Tucker purchased the residence several years ago and spent a lot of money modernizing the home, which he rented when he moved to Sikeston to make his home. Several months ago he decided to move back to New Madrid and had just had the residence redecorated, spending several hundred dollars. The home was elegantly furnished and as nothing was saved, will be a heavy loss to Mr. Tucker.

Insurance was carried on the house and furniture, which will partially take care of the loss sustained. Mr. Tucker informs us that he intends to rebuild as soon as possible. —New Madrid Record.

FIVE MISSOURI TOWNS VOTE FOR NATURAL GAS FRANCHISE

Columbia, September 5.—Voters at Hallsville today ratified a grant for a natural gas franchise to the Missouri Power & Light Co. for a 20-year period. The Hallsville election was the final one of the week with Farber, Wellsville, Laddonia and Sturgeon successively approving the franchise to date. Farber cast its ballots in favor 76 to 4, Wellsville 410 to 61, Laddonia 165 to 5, Sturgeon at yesterday's election, 220 to 2.

The Missouri Power and Light Co. has contracts with the Missouri Kansas Pipe Line Co. Now building natural gas line from Texas Panhandle to Kansas, Missouri, Illinois and Indiana to serve towns and cities in its territory.

Chillicothe—Skelley Oil Co. will erect service station on site of old Gord Brown livery barn.

"Always break your burnt matches in two and cover campfires with earth", advises Martin A. Lewis, Jr., chief of Missouri's parks and refuges, "and forest fires will not be started". Park and refuge men in the employe of the Missouri Game and Fish Department are using all possible precaution to see that no disastrous fires are started on the State holdings this season. Only small blazes on three of the State parks have been reported this year against twenty-five on eight parks in 1929.

DUCK SEASON WILL BE OPEN IN MISSOURI FROM SEPTEMBER 24 TO JANUARY 7

The 1930 season for hunting wild geese, brand ducks, coots, snipe, rail and other waterfowl will open in Missouri at 5:28 o'clock the morning of September 24 and will continue until January 7. The same laws regulating hunting which prevailed last year are in effect again this season. Shooting may begin one-half hour before sunrise and must cease at sunset.

That duck hunters may not violate the duck hunting laws regarding the hours for shooting a sun-rise and sun-set table has been prepared by the Game and Fish Department. Each game warden will be supplied with one of the tables and hunters desiring a copy of this chart may procure it from the Game and Fish Department.

While few ducks have remained in Missouri throughout the summer owing to the drought the Northern States report many large flocks in the marshes. The first cold weather will start these birds southward and because of the scarcity of water in many tules and marshes in the State, it is expected that they will follow the larger river routes including the Missouri, Mississippi and Grand Rivers in their migration over Missouri.

Ozark—Riverside Inn renovated and opened to public.

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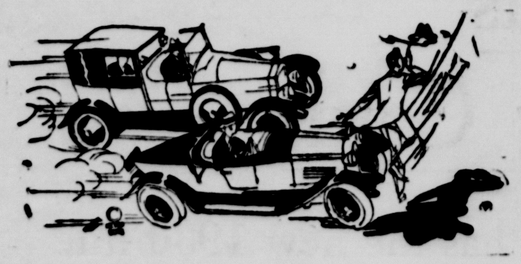
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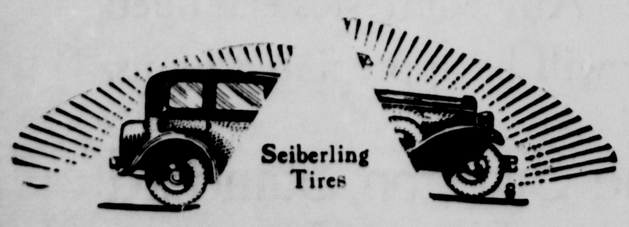
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